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**GUARANTY** 

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all blooming plants. Easily grown from seed.

Packet, 25c; 3 pkts., 50c, postpaid.

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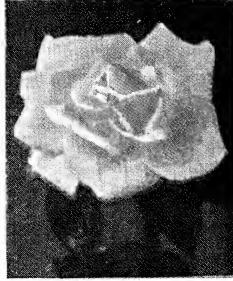


E. G. Hill



Mrs. Henry Bowles





Los Angeles



Souvenir De Claudius Pernet

## 4 Rose Bushes \$1.00

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Take your choice of the varieties shown here in colors, in one-year-old plants, at 30c each; 4 for \$1.00; or 10 for \$2.20, postpaid.

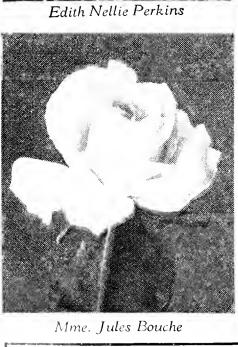
The same varieties in large, 2-year-old plants at 50c each; 4 for \$1.60; or 10 for \$3.50, postpaid.

These are all hardy everblooming varieties which will do well under ordinary garden conditions, and bloom eontinually from the beginning of summer until fall frosts set in. You will find all of these varieties deseribed in the Rose pages of this catalog.



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10 Rose Bushes 1-year-old plants \$220



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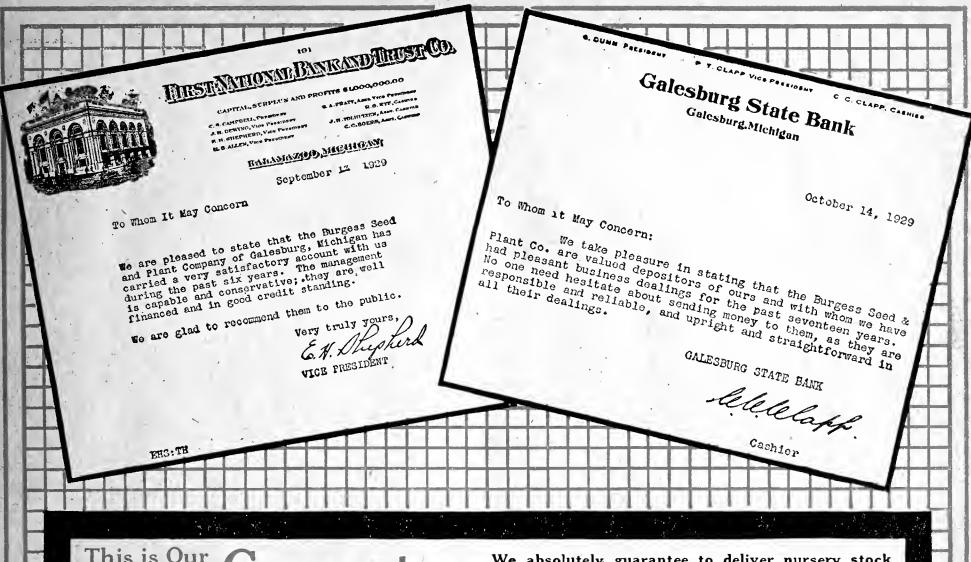
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BURGESS SEED & PLANT CO., Galesburg, Mich.



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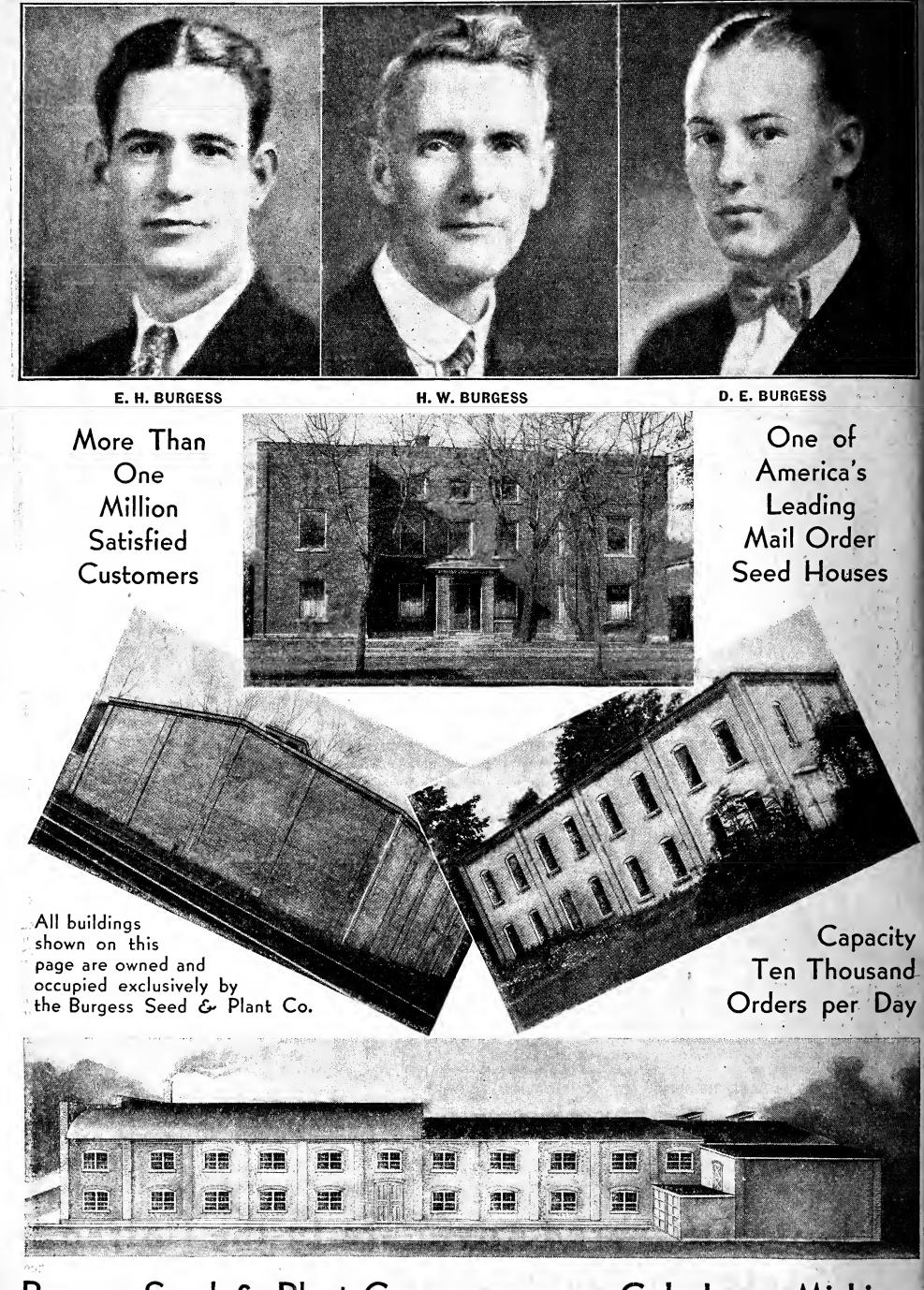
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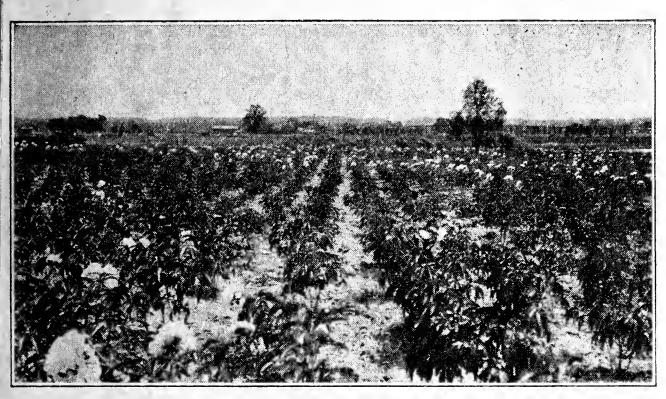
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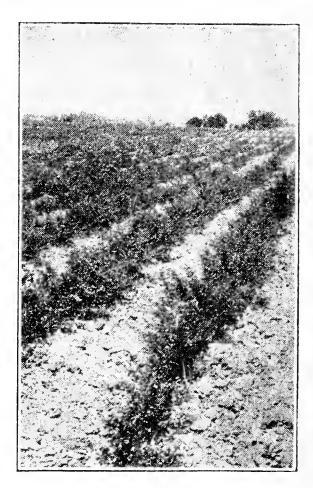
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A Nursery Scene of Burgess' Apple Trees



A Field of Our Shrubbery

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Orders to be shipped by freight should be sent early, to allow for delays in transit. Express shipments go through as promptly as parcel post.

Do not order at the "not-prepaid" prices and ask us to make shipment by parcel post. If you want seeds sent by parcel post, order at the postpaid prices

Be sure to give your express office when ordering express shipments.

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#### are the Best for All Climates

The home-gardener and the commercial grower will find in our Vegetable Seed Department a list of the most dependable varieties—the best of both the old and new sorts. We do not offer as many varieties as some seedsmen, as we weed out the less desirable sorts, and offer only the best. We have endeavored to make selection easy by describing accurately and telling both the advantages and disadvantages of each sort.

The best test of a seed is the crop it produces. Burgess' Hardy Michigan Seeds have no superior.

We are supplying many of the most critical market-gardeners, in every State in the Union, with the best and purest strains of Vegetable Seeds. The steady increase in our market-garden trade each year, and the fact that the gardeners who began buying from us when we first started in business are still numbered among our best customers, is the best evidence that our seeds give satisfaction.

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Large Green Globe Artichoke

#### Artichoke

An ounce of seed will produce about 500 plants.

LARGE GREEN GLOBE. A delicious vegetable which is cultivated for its large flower-heads, which are cooked like Asparagus. It is considered a delicacy and demands a high price in all better city markets. The plant is a perennial and set in good soil and given slight winter protection of leaves or straw, will remain in bearing several years, but for best results it should be renewed every two or three years. Pkt., 10c; oz., 45c; ¼ lb., \$1.50, postpaid.

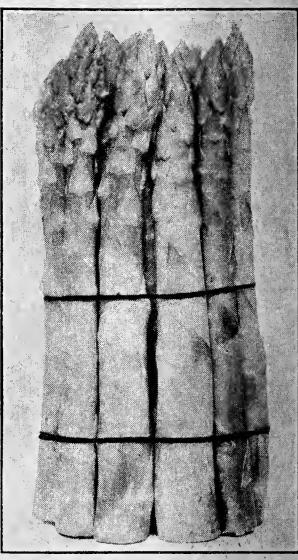
JERUSALEM ARTICHOKE. Very appetizing when baked like potatoes. Best petizing when baked like potatoes. Best hog food known. An acre will keep 20 to 30 hogs from October to April. 300 lbs: plant an acre. Easily grown. Tubers, 30c lb.; 3 lbs., 75c; 10 lbs., \$2.00, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 25 lbs., \$2.25; 50 lbs., \$4.00; 100 lbs., \$7.50.



An ounce of seed will produce about 250 plants; 2 lbs. will produce enough roots to set.

GIANT WASHINGTON (Improved Mary Washington Strain). A variety developed by the United States Department of Agriculture. A rapid growing sort with a delicious flavor and tenderness, yielding stalks two inches in diameter, and even when twelve inches long are perfectly tender. It is practically immune to "rust" and other Asparagus diseases and is without doubt the finest strain of Asparagus now available. Pkt., 8c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c; lb., \$1.00; 2 lbs., \$1.80; 5 lbs., \$4.25, postpaid.

PALMETTO. Another excellent variety and, with the exception of Giant Washington, is the nearest rustproof of any. It is a wonderful yielder, producing large, thick, dark green shoots, nearly as large as Giant Washington. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 70c; 2 lbs., \$1.25; 5 lbs., \$2.95, postpaid.



Giant Mary Washington Asparagus

## DEATH TO BEETLES

Without Spraying or Dusting

An Ornamental Plant That is Deadly to Beetles. No Danger From Poison to Children or Pets.

It has recently, been discovered that the foliage of a certain ornamental variety of Castor Oil Bean is attractive to the Japanese Beetle, and that the beetles die from the effect of eating the leaves. It is claimed by those who have been experimenting with the Castor Bean as a means of exterminating the Japanese Beetle that a group of 8 or 10 of these plants will be sufficient to attract the beetles away from the ordinary small garden, thus saving the other plants from the ravages of these pests. The beetles seem to be very fond of the leaves and dead beetles by the hundreds can be swept from the ground under the plants.

It would be impossible at this time to determine just how much of a contribution to agriculture this discovery is going to prove to be. These experiments have been carried on for three seasons only, but we believe these tests have been sufficient to prove the great importance of the Castor Bean as a means of beetle control.

The Castor Beans thrive best when grown in a sunny situation.

Be sure that you plant seed of the right kind of Castor Beans, as experiments have shown that only one variety has much effect on the beetles. This variety is a rapid growing, and a showy, handsome plant for either the lawn or garden. It often grows to a height of 14 feet, with enormous leaves, 2 to 4 feet across, and highly colored in various shades of light and dark green, coppery-bronze and red.

We can supply our customers with this strain of Castor Oil Bean seed. These are large seeds, usually running 40 to 60 to the ounce. One oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 75c; lb., **\$2.50**, postpaid.

Asparagus Plants

Due to the superior quality of the Improved Mary Washington Strain of Giant Washington we have discontinued the growing of all other varieties of Asparagus. The plants we have to offer are choice oneyear-old plants. We always recommend one-year-old Asparagus plants, for in addition to costing less than two-year-old plants, they come into bearing just as soon and are a more satisfactory size for transplanting. Asparagus plants should be set 18 inches

CHOICE PLANTS—12 for 30c; 25 for 50c; 50 for 80c; 100 for \$1.50; 250 for \$3.50, by parcel post, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 500 for \$5.00; 1,000 for \$9.50; 5,000 for \$45.00.

# Burgess' Michigan Grown Beans

Every seedsman now concedes that Michigan Grown Beans are the best that can be produced. Our stock of seed is selected with extreme care, and the growing crops carefully rogued several times each season. The following list comprises the best of their respective types.

## Dwarf Green-Podded Beans

ONE POUND OF SEED FOR 75 FEET OF ROW—"TENDERGREEN"

The Tendergreen is a delicious, fine flavored, second-early snap bean. Many who have given it a trial consider it the finest quality of all bush beans. The pods are light green, of handsome appearance, grow 7 inches in length, and are round, extremely meaty and tender. Even when fully grown they are absolutely stringless. The plants make a strong and vigorous growth and are remarkable for their large yields of long straight pods. It somewhat resembles Full Measure but is a decided improvement upon that popular variety. We recommend it for the home garden, market growers and roadside stands. It is not often that so many good qualities are combined in one variety. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 22c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 70c; 5 lbs., \$1.45; 10 lbs., \$2.75, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.55; 25 lbs., \$4.00; 100 lbs., \$15.00.

## Bountiful, or Early Six Weeks

EARLIEST GREEN POD BEAN AND A CONTINUOUS BEARER

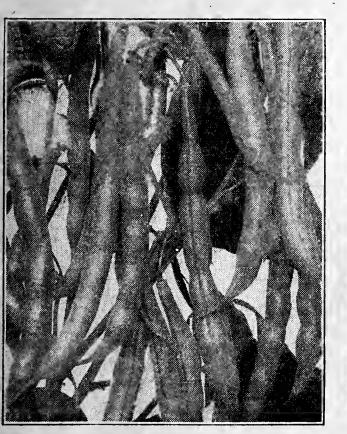
This superior variety is of thrifty growth, very hardy and practically rust and mildew proof. It bears continuously for several weeks, being the first to give pods fit to pick in the spring and the last to yield edible pods in the fall. Under favorable conditions of soil and season this variety has been known to bear one bushel of pods per 15 foot row, in the course of the season. The large green pods are thick, broad, flat, extra long, very uniform in shape, solid, meaty, and of high quality, tender, of delicious flavor and absolutely stringless. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 60c; 5 lbs., \$1.40; 10 lbs., \$2.70, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.40; 25 lbs., \$3.75; 100 lbs., \$14.00.



Bountiful

## "Full Measure" Stringless

Full Measure is one of the very best round podded, stringless, dwarf green beans in existence, and on account of its superior quality, it is especially desirable for the home garden. It begins to bear with the second-early sorts, the heavy pods producing throughout a long season. Very productive; pods average 6 inches long, fleshy and absolutely stringless. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 60c; 5 lbs., \$1.40; 10 lbs., \$2.70, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.40; 25 lbs., \$3.75; 100 lbs., \$14.00.



### INOCULATE

Your Bean Seed for Best Results. Hasten's maturity, increases the yield and enriches the soil. Inoculation for Beans only, half bushel size, 40c; bushel size, 60c; 5 bushel, \$2.50. Inoculation good for Peas only at these same prices. Garden size, sufficient for 8 lbs. of seed, and good for Beans, Peas and Sweet Peas, 25c.

#### "Knock Out" for Moles

"The Mole Trap that I got from your is worth its weight in gold. Have tried many kinds, but this is sure a 'knock out' for moles. Hence am ordering another one."—Mrs. M. Telgard, Mendocino, Calif.

For description and price of the only never-failing mole trap on the market see page 123.

#### The "Chestnut Bean"

chestnuts, and is one of the most delicious beans grown. Grows in the form of a tall bush, and is completely covered with pods. For soup and turkey stuffing it cannot be surry passed. It is a Spanish Bean, and is known as the "Garabanzo" Bean. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; ½ lb., 40c; lb., 75c, postpaid.

This wonderful Bean looks like a gigantic Pea. When

boiled it has a flavor like boiled

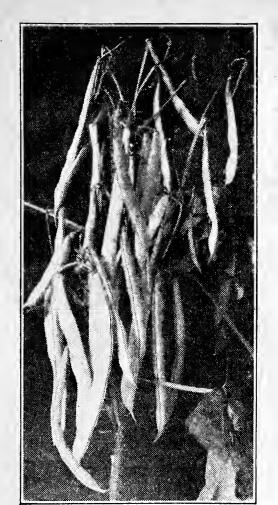
#### Full Measure

BURPEE'S STRINGLESS GREEN POD. An extra early, round-podded, prolific sort, bearing abundantly, long, bright green, stringless pods of excellent quality; rust resistant. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 60c; 5 lbs., \$1.30; 10 lbs., \$2.50, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.10; 25 lbs., \$3.25; 100 lbs., \$12.00.

GIANT STRINGLESS GREEN POD. The plants are of strong growth,

GIANT STRINGLESS GREEN POD. The plants are of strong growth, making large, compact bushes, and are very productive. The pods are straight, quite long, nearly round, meaty, brittle and stringless. A few days later than Burpee's Stringless, and are borne continuously for weeks. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 60c; 5 lbs., \$1.30; 10 lbs., \$2.50, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.10; 25 lbs., \$3.25; 100 lbs., \$12.00.

"Chestnut Bean"



Early Wonder Wax

# Dwarf Wax-Podded Beans

ONE POUND OF SEED FOR 75 FEET OF ROW

#### Michigan Grown

BRITTLE WAX, or ROUND POD KIDNEY WAX. An early prolific sort with handsome, round, extremely fleshy pods of waxy yellow. Brittle and always stringless and tender. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 60c; 5 lbs., \$1.40; 10 lbs., \$2.70, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 Îbs., \$2.40; 25 lbs., \$3.75; 100 lbs., \$14.00.

RUSTPROOF GOLDEN WAX. Medium-early; heavy cropper; pods of good length, oval and quite thick; clear, waxy, golden yellow color, and fine buttery flavor. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 60c; 5 lbs., \$1.30; 10 lbs., \$2.50, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.10; 25 lbs., \$3.25; 100 lbs., \$12.00.

DAVIS WHITE WAX (Stringless Strain). Medium-early. Pods about 6 inches long, very straight, waxy-white and handsome. Owing to fine appearance, will bring the highest price on the market. Popular for canning, as the beans are pure white. Extensively used both as a snap bean and as a dry shell bean; fine for baking. Very productive. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 60c; 5 lbs., \$1.35; 10 lbs., \$2.60, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.25; 25 lbs., \$3.50; 100 lbs., \$13.00.

#### Early Wonder Wax

EARLIEST WAX BEAN - RUST PROOF

Early Wonder Wax belongs to the oval podded class and grows a strong plant, 18 inches high and 2 feet across. It is well loaded with pods, 5 to 7 inches long; flat, plump, handsome and meaty, of a clear, waxy yellow color. As to quality the pods are tender, brittle and of fine texture. This is the earliest wax-podded bean; ready to pick in 35 to 40 days. Practically rust-proof; a bountiful yielder, in bearing for a long season; an ideal bean for the home garden and a real money maker for the market gardener. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 22c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 70c; 5 lbs., \$1.45; 10 lbs., \$2.75, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.55; 25 lbs., \$4.00; 100 lbs., \$15.00.

PENCIL POD BLACK WAX. The finest strain of Black Wax yet introduced and of the very best quality. Round pods 6 to 7 inches long and of uniform rich yellow color; entirely stringless, brittle, tender, meaty, exceedingly fine grained and without fibre. Medium-early, bears profusely and throughout a long season. Rust resistant: Pkt., 10c; 1/2 lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 60c; 5 lbs., \$1.30; 10 lbs., \$2.50, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.10; 25 lbs., \$3.25; 100 lbs.,

## POLE OR CLIMBING BEANS

One pound of seed for 100 poles

#### Golden Cluster Wax

Probably the most useful of all wax pole beans, as it is suitable for snap beans, green shell beans, and dry beans for winter use. Plants are large, vigorous and immensely productive. The pods are 6½ to 7½ inches long, perfectly straight and flat, light waxy yellow, tender, stringless, fiberless, brittle, sweet, tasty and of fine quality. Seeds white. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 22c; 1b., 40c; 2 lbs., 70c; 5 lbs., \$1.50; 10 lbs., \$2.90, postpaid.

#### Burger's Stringless

Burger's Stringless Green Pod is also called White-Seeded Kentucky Wonder. This is one of the most desirable of the pole beans. It combines attractive appearance with productiveness, and for quality it is unsurpassed. The straight, round, silvery-green pods are 6 to 8 inches long, fleshy, entirely stringless, fiberless, and tender. The beans, being white, are also fine for winter use. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 22c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 70c; 5 lbs., \$1.45; 10 lbs., \$2.75, postpaid.

Burgess' Everbearing Kentucky Wonder

## Burgess' Everbearing Bean

Burgess' Everbearing or Everbearing Kentucky Wonder is without exception the finest flavored snap bean grown. The green pods, seven to ten inches long, are so fleshy they are often greater in thickness than width. They are solid, meaty, and very crisp. They commence bearing exceedingly early for a pole or climbing sort, and if pods are gathered as they mature the vines will continue to bear until killed by the fall frosts. This is one of the few pole beans that will bear a satisfactory crop without being poled. It will not produce as large a crop if grown without poles but will be more productive than any of the dwarf sorts. By planting a few hills in your corn, the corn stalks will act as a support for the vines, and you will get a good crop of both corn and beans. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 22c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 70c; 5 lbs., \$1.45; 10 lbs., \$2.80, postpaid.

KENTUCKY WONDER WAX. An ideal pole wax bean for all localities. Similar in habit of growth to the green podded Kentucky Wonder, and bears as early, or when about as high as the average bush bean. The pods are so fleshy that often the thick-

average bush bean. The pods are so fleshy that often the thickness surpasses the width. Of most delicious quality, a heavy yielder and bears a long season. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 22c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 70c; 5 lbs., \$1.45; 10 lbs., \$2.80, postpaid.

SCARLET RUNNER. A fine ornamental vine, bearing large sprays of bright scarlet pea-like flowers and abundance of edible bears. Used both for shell and snap bears. Pkt. 10c: 14 lb.

beans. Used both for shell and snap beans. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 22c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 70c; 5 lbs., \$1.50; 10 lbs., \$2.90, postpaid.

Yard Long Bean This is an excellent variety, as well as an interesting curiosity. The vines are rampant growers and produce an enormous crop of long, slender, round pods which are of excellent quality for snap beans. The round pods are from 2 to 4 feet in length, having the thickness of a lead pencil. Produce late in the summer, very productive, tender and of fine flavor. Pkt., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 75c; 2 lbs., \$1.35; 5 lbs., \$3.20; 10 lbs., \$6.00, postpaid.



Yard Long

# Frost-Proof Bean or Lima Pea

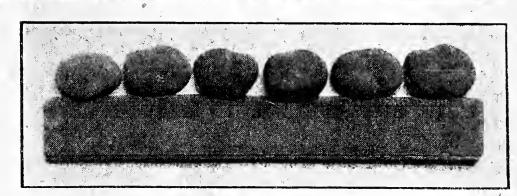
This bean is highly esteemed in Europe, and is known there as the Broad Bean. It differs from American types of beans in that it should be planted early. We plant them here in Michigan as soon in the spring as the ground becomes workable, sometimes in March. Plants are hardy and not sensitive to cold.

The beans are as large as the largest Lima Bean, and nearly the same shape. Botanically, it belongs to the bean family, but the flavor is more like that of the pea, which accounts for it sometimes being called the Lima Pea.

The plant is a bush of upright growth, about 21/2

feet high, with strong, sturdy stalks. Pods 5½ inches long and 1¼ inches wide, flat and straight. Each holds 3 to 4 mammoth size beans. It is wonderfully productive.

The Frost Proof Bean, or Lima Pea, is used like the Lima Bean, and is delicious either cooked fresh or as a winter shell bean. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 30c; lb., 50c; 2 lbs., 90c; 5 lbs., \$2.00, postpaid.



Six Frost Proof Beans laid beside a 6-inch ruler to show the size of the dry beans.

#### Bush Lima Beans

One pound of seed for 100 feet of row

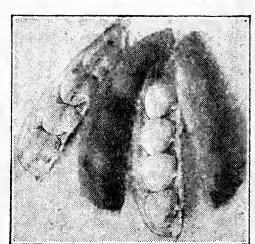
BURPEE'S IMPROVED BUSH. The largest of all Bush Limas, bearing pods almost equal in size to those of the large Pole Limas. Pods 5 to 6 inches long by 1½ inches wide and the full size beans are of luscious flavor. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 45c; 2 lbs., 80c; 5 lbs., \$1.70; 10 lbs., \$3.30, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$3.30; 25 lbs., \$5.25; 100 lbs., \$20.00.

FORDHOOK. Nearly as large as Burpee's Improved and about a week earlier. Extremely prolife, with large thick meany Beans

Improved and about a week earlier. Extremely prolific, with large, thick, meaty Beans of delicious quality. Sell easily and remain green a long time. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 45c; 2 lbs., 85c; 5 lbs., \$2.00; 10 lbs., \$3.90,

postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$4.20; 25 lbs., \$6.75; 100 lbs., \$26.00.

HENDERSON'S BUSH. The earliest Lima grown and continues to produce until killed by frost. Will produce an abundant crop under a wider range of weather and soil conditions than any other Lima. Beans are not large, but the quality is excellent. Our Michigan grown seed is a week earlier than Western seed or seed grown farther south. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 60c; 5 lbs., \$1.40; 10 lbs., \$2.70, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.40; 25 lbs., \$3.75; 100 lbs., \$14.00.



Fordhook Bush Lima

#### Pole Lima Beans

One pound of seed for 50 poles

than any other Pole Lima; a sure cropper and extremely productive, both early and throughout the season. Pods straight and long and well filled with large, thick beans of delicate pale green color and of a delicious buttery flavor. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 22c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 70c; 5 lbs., \$1.50; 10 lbs., \$2.90, postpaid.

KING OF THE GARDEN. A vigorous grower, requiring but two vines to each pole. Begins flowering early, at the bottom of the pole, producing a continuous bloom and fruitage throughout the season. Pods are large and beans are of excellent quality, well-formed and mammoth in size. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 22c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 70c; 5 lbs., \$1.45; 10 lbs., \$2.80, postpaid.

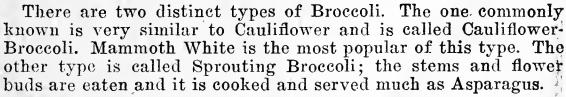
SIEVA OR CAROLINA ("Butter Bean"). A climbing variety similar to Henderson's Bush Lima. Begins bearing very early and continues to produce until frost; very productive; excellent quality. Popular throughout the South, and should be extensively grown in the North because of its hardiness, earliness and long bearing season. One pound of this variety will plant about 150 poles. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 22c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 70c; 5 lbs., \$1.45; 10 lbs., \$2.80, postpaid.

#### Field Beans

Sixty pounds will plant an acre

ROBUST. The greatest bean for a farm crop; introduced by the Michigan Experimental Station, and at the Agricultural College has always outyielded all other beans. Robust in growth; large pods, filled with medium-sized, pure white, nearly round beans, which excel in cooking qualities. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 18c; lb., 30c; 2 lbs., 50c; 5 lbs., \$1.00; 10 lbs., \$1.90, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$1.20; 25 lbs., \$1.75; 100 lbs., \$6.00.

# One ounce will produce about 2000 plants



MAMMOTH WHITE. Hardier and more easily grown than Cauliflower, but cultivated and used in the same way. Heads of large size, creamy-white; delicate flavor. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 40c; ½ lb., \$1.25; lb., \$4.25, postpaid.

ITALIAN EARLY SPROUTING CALABRESE. A delicious variety which resembles Cauliflower, but is of more delicate flavor, having the combined flavor of Cauliflower and Asparagus. It is grown about the same as Cabbage. Simply sow the seed in the open ground in the spring and transplant the plants when large enough. The heads or sprouts when ready to use are deep green: After the central head is removed, the plant produces numerous branch heads which are fully as desirable as the first head produced. A continuous supply may be had for a long time from a few plants. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 40c; ¼ lb., \$1.25; lb., \$4.25, postpaid.



#### The Best Beet Grown

BURGESS' SPECIAL DE-TROIT is an improved strain of Detroit Dark Red Beet which is fully as early as Crosby's Egyptian. Extra deep dark red; more uniform in shape and color than Detroit Dark Red; and of the very best quality. Unequaled for either home garden or market, and with-



Burgess' Special Detroit

out doubt the most valuable variety of beet ever. offered. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 45c; lb., \$1.40; 2 lbs., \$2.50; 5 lbs., \$5.95; 10 lbs., \$11.20, postpaid.

# Spinach Beet

GIANT LUCULLUS. Grown extensively for its large, juicy tender leaves and leaf stalks. The leaves grow to a length of 2 to 2½ feet, and the stalks are nearly as thick and broad as Rhubarb and never get tough. By picking off the large outside

Spinach Beet

or Swiss Chard

leaves, as wanted, more leaves continue to grow and keep right on growing until killed by severe frost in the fall. The whole leaf can be used for greens, or the leaf stalks can be cooked like asparagus. Also extensively used as a green feed for

#### BEETS—Table Varieties

One ounce of seed to 50 feet of row



Early Wonder

CROSBY'S EGYPTIAN. (Selected Strain.) The leading extra early variety. The skin is very smooth and bright red; flesh vermilion, very sweet and tender. A money-maker for market growers. Pkt., 8c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 35c; lb., \$1.10; 2 lbs., \$2.00; 5 lbs., \$4.70; 10 lbs., \$8.80, postpaid.

DETROIT DARK RED. The leading main crop variety; roots may be used early in the season when only partially grown, being ready for use almost as quickly

as the extra early sorts. Form globular or ovoid; smooth and regular in form, with small taproot and free from rootlets. Flesh is fine grained, tender and sweet. Retains its choice quality and freedom from woodiness until the beets attain their full size. A favorite for canning because of its rich, deep, dark red color. Pkt., 8c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 35c; lb., \$1.10; 2 lbs., \$2.00; 5 lbs., \$4.70; 10 lbs., \$8.80, postpaid.

EARLY BLOOD TURNIP. An exceedingly popular, early, round, deep-red beet of excellent quality. Pkt., 5c; oz., 12c; 14 lb., 30c; lb., 90c; 2 lbs., \$1.65; 5 lbs., \$3.85; 10 lbs., \$7.20,

EARLY WONDER. A variety which has gained wide popularity among market gardeners, and one which the amateur may also grow with every confidence. It may be sown early, and it matures very rapidly. It is so uniform in growth that the crop can be lifted practically at one time, making it possible to

use the land for a second crop. The root is nearly globular in shape, slightly flattened. The leaves are of medium size, and the color of the flesh is deep blood-red; sweet and free from strings. Pkt., 8c; oz., 12c; ½ lb., 35c; lb., \$1.10; 2 lbs., \$2.00; 5 lbs., \$4.70;

10 lbs., \$8.80, postpaid.

LONG SMOOTH BLOOD. The leading variety for winter use. Good sized, long, tapering, smooth roots; dark red; sweet and tender, remaining so until spring. Pkt., 5c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c; lb., 90c; 2 lbs., \$1.65; 5 lbs., \$3.85; 10 lbs., \$7.20, post-

NOTICE You may deduct 10c per pound from the post-paid prices given in this catalog if you want poultry. Pkt., 8c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., seeds sent by express or freight, not prepaid. Do not ask us to 30c; lb., \$1.00; 2 lbs., \$1.80; 5 make an express shipment of less than a total of 5 lbs. of seed, lbs., \$4.25; 10 lbs., \$8.00, postpaid.

Brussels Sprouts

One ounce of seed for 200 feet of row A variety of the Cabbage family, possessing the peculiarity of bearing upon its stem or stalk from 50 to 100 small, compact round heads, each measuring from 1 to 2 inches in diameter. These heads are cut off when well formed and are usually marketed in quart berry boxes. The plants are very hardy, are



Collard

not injured but improved by hard frosts, and are left in the garden or field during the early winter until wanted. May be had in fine condition until about Christmas time in the North, and in the South. may be had from November to March. These miniature Cab-

**Brussels Sprouts** 

bages may be boiled like Cabbage or cooked in cream like Cauliflower. They are the most delicious and delicately flavored of the Cabbage family. IMPROVED HALF DWARF. The best variety for all localities; very productive. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 70c; lb., \$2.25, postpaid.

#### Collards

One ounce of seed to 300 feet of row

GEORGIA. The leading and best variety. A form of loose-headed cabbage that usually succeeds in locations where other sorts of cabbage cannot be grown to perfection. In the South they continue to grow all winter long and the tender tops are cooked like ordinary Cabbage, which they resemble greatly in flavor. One ounce will sow 300 feet of row. Pkt. 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 20c; lb., 60c, postpaid.

## Sugar Beets and Mangel Wurzels

#### Greatest Cattle and Poultry Food Cuts Your Feed Bill in Half

One ounce of seed to 100 feet of row; 5 or 6 lbs. per acre.

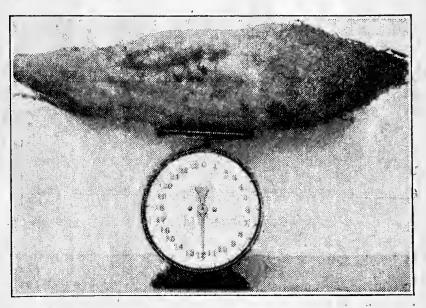
Mangels and Sugar Beets are very important crops, furnishing a tremendous yield per acre of a very healthful and nutritious food that is greatly relished by all kinds of livestock. Will keep cattle in perfect physical condition and increase the flow of milk. As a substitute for green feed for poultry, during the winter months, they are very valuable and always increase egg production.

Yields of 25 to 35 tons per acre are common, and as high as 75 to 80 tons have been reported. The seed should be sown thinly in rows 2 to 3 feet apart, and when plants are about 3 inches high thin out to stand 8 to 10 inches apart in the row. Harvest before frost and store in pits outdoors or in a dry, frost-proof cellar.

GIANT HALF SUGAR. A favorite with many dairymen. Fiesh white, sugary and of high nutritive value. Yields a tremendous crop. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 60c; 2 lbs., \$1.10; 5 lbs., \$2.55; 10 lbs., \$4.80, postpaid.

KLEIN WANZLEBEN. Practically all the leading authorities on Sugar Beets have united in recommending this variety as possessing the highest sugar-producing qualities, as much as 18 tons of sugar having been made from 100 tons of roots. Also highly recommended for stock feeding. An enormous yielder. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 60c; 2 lbs., \$1.10; bls., \$2.55; 10 lbs., \$4.80, postpaid.

lands, although doing well on every soil. An immense yielder. Rich, golden skin; flesh yellow. Easily harvested; excellent keeper. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 60c; 2 lbs., \$1.10; 5 lbs., \$2.55; 10 lbs., \$4.80, postpaid.



Mammoth Long Red Mangel Wurzel

MAMMOTH LONG RED. The largest and the heaviest cropper of all Mangels. The roots are frequently 2 feet or more in length, one-half to two-thirds above the surface and easily harvested. Skin bright red; flesh white, veined pink. Keeping qualities not excelled. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 20c; lb., 60c; 2 lbs., \$1.10; 5 lbs., \$2.55; 10 lbs., \$4.80, postpaid.

#### **CARROTS**

One ounce for 100 feet of row; 4 pounds per acre.

CHANTENAY. An elegant bunching Carrot and early main crop sort for the market gardener. Of deep orange-red color. In earliness it ranks intermediate between the Early Scarlet Horn and Danvers Half Long. Of the style of Danvers, hardly as large, but finer and more symmetrical. Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c; ½ lb., 45c; lb., \$1.50; 2 lbs., \$2.70; 5 lbs., \$6.40; postpaid.

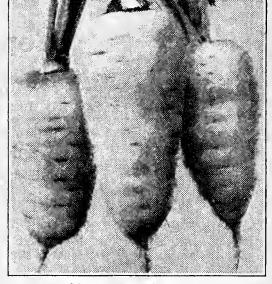
DANVER'S HALF LONG. A variety that is adapted to all soils and is enormously productive, often yielding more than the large field carrots and is much easier harvested on heavy ground. 5 to 6 inches in length; flesh very tender and sweet and a rich orange color; fine grained and free from woody fibre. Ready for use in 70 days. Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c; lb., \$1.50; 2 lbs., \$2.70; 5 lbs., \$6.40, postpaid.

EARLY SCARLET HORN. We believe that our strain of this variety is the earliest Carrot grown. Tops small, roots only  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 inches in length; too small for main crop variety, but very valuable on account of its extreme earliness. Ready for table in 50 to 55 days. Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 45c; lb., \$1.50; 2 lbs., \$2.70; 5 lbs., \$6.40, postpaid.

#### **CORELESS CARROT**

A new, fine flavored, early Carrot. It is a deep orange-red color, and the small heart, or core, is the same color. It is as "coreless" as a Carrot can be. Roots are half-long, blunt pointed, and grow to a medium size. Unsurpassed for flavor and quality. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ½ lb., 60c; lb., \$2.00; 2 lbs., \$3.60; 5 lbs., \$8.00, postpaid.

IMPROVED LONG ORANGE. Uniform in shape and size, 8 to 10 inches long; smooth and of rich orange color. An excellent keeper. Fine quality for table use. Also planted extensively for stock feeding on account of its high yielding qualities and food value. Succeeds best in light soil. Ten days later than Danvers. Pkt., 5c; oz., 12c; 1/4 lb., 30c; lb., \$1.00; 2 lbs., \$1.80; 5 lbs., \$4.25, postpaid.



Chantenay Carrot

NANTES. A handsome variety, roots measuring 6 inches long and 1½ inches thick, almost perfectly cylindrical, bluntended, smooth, and very small taproot. Flesh fine grained and free from hard fiber or core. Bright orange-red color, sweet and mild. Of superb quality. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ½ lb., 60c; lb., \$2.00; 2 lbs., \$3.60; 5 lbs., \$8.00, postpaid.

OXHEART. A good variety to grow on soils too hard and stiff for longer-rooted sorts. Root short and thick, nearly as thick as long but of good size and excellent quality. Season same as Danvers. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ½ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25; 2 lbs., \$2.25; 5 lbs., \$5.30, postpaid.

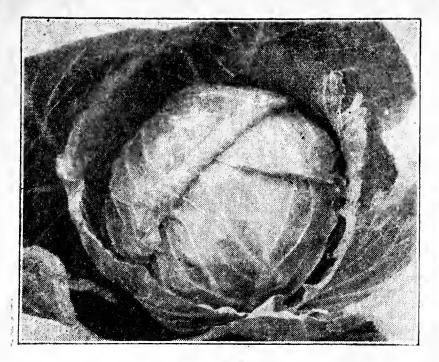
WHITE BELGIAN (Improved Mammoth). Probably the best of all field or stock carrots because of its large size, enormous productiveness and most excellent keeping qualities. Pkt., 5c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c; lb., 90c; 2 lbs., \$1.60; 5 lbs., \$3.80, post-paid.



Corn Salad

#### Corn Salad or Fetticus

This is a hardy winter salad, the leaves being served like lettuce during the cool fall and early winter months. It is used also for garnishing meat dishes in the same manner as parsley, and can be cooked like spinach. The seed should be sown thinly in drills during August or September, to supply fresh leaves during the cool fall and winter months. It is quite hardy, but in the Northern States, after cool weather sets in, it should be protected by a thin mulch of straw or leaves. One ounce will plant 40 feet of row. Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25; 2 lbs., \$2.25; 5 lbs., \$5.30, postpaid.



Copenhagen Market

## Cabbage

In growing a profitable crop of Cabbage, much depends upon the seed planted. Our seed is all carefully grown from selected heads and under the supervision of expert cabbage seed growers. You can place an order for our seed with the One ounce of seed for 2,000 plants; ½ lb. per acre.

## Lightning Express

THE EARLIEST CABBAGE IN CULTIVATION

Our Lightning Express is ready for use in 65 to 70 days from sowing-ten days earlier than Jersey Wakefield. Good fair trials of varieties offered by other seed houses as "the earliest grown', have proved that they are from 4 to 10 days later than our Lightning Express. Lightning Express is positively the earliest Cabbage in cultivation. Heads pointed, of good size, a little smaller than Jersey Wakefield, always sure

to head, solid and firm and always in demand on the market, bringing high prices on account of their extreme earliness. Very hardy, permitting earliest planting. There are but few outer leaves and plants may therefore be set closely together. As many as 14,000 heads can be grown on one acre of ground, and will bring a larger profit per acre than later and heavier varieties. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 75c; lb., \$2.50; 2 lbs., \$4.50; 5 lbs., \$10.60, postpaid.

#### NEW GOLDEN ACRE.

EARLIEST ROUND HEAD CABBAGE

Our special strain of this wonderful new Cabbage will mature hard, round heads, nine inches in diameter, of five pounds each, in 70 to 75 days from time of sowing seed. Uniform in size and growth; compact in habit, with few outer leaves, permitting close planting. The heads are firm and solid and fully equal to any of the late sorts, and will stand in the field for a month or more without bursting. The most profitable variety to raise for the early market. Pkt., 10c; oz., 35c; ¼ lb., \$1.10; lb., \$3.75; 2 lbs., \$6.75; 5 lbs., \$15.95, postpaid.

#### Copenhagen Market

One of the most valuable varieties for the home garden and one of the most profitable for market gardeners. With the exception of Golden Acre, it is the earliest round-headed Cabbage. In season it ranks with Early Jersey Wakefield, which it will outyield two to one in weight of crop on a given area. When ready for cutting, Copenhagen Market is the heaviest of the extraearly varieties and is as good, in its class, as the old favorite Danish Ballhead. The stem is short; the head is round and solid, averaging 8 to 10 pounds each, and uniform in shape and size. A vigorous grower and an excellent keeper. The heads all mature at one time, and will stand longer without bursting than other early sorts. Many large growers consider Copenwill stand longer without bursting than other early sorts. Many large growers consider Copenhagen Market as the best of all early cabbages. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ½ lb., 75c; lb., \$2.50; 2 lbs., \$4.50; 5 lbs., \$10.60, postpaid. For prices of plants, see page 125.

EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD. Our Special Stock. The most popular early cabbage. About ten days later than our Lightning Express, but has larger heads and is more productive. Heads conical or pointed, solid and of the very best quality. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c; 1/4 1b., 60c; 1b., \$2.00; 2 lbs., \$3.60; 5 lbs., \$8.50, postpaid. For prices of plants, see page 125.

GLORY OF ENKHUIZEN. Ten days later than Early Jersey Wakefield, but heads twice as heavy. Grows large, solid, round heads with few outer leaves, and such compact growth as to permit close planting. When trimmed, heads weigh from 6 to 8 pounds and are similar in appearance to a small Danish Ballhead. Size ideal for marketing; quality the very best; excellent keeper. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c; ½ lb., 65c; lb., \$2.20; 2 lbs., \$3.95; 5 lbs., \$9.35, postpaid.

ALL-HEAD EARLY. The largest flat-headed early cabbage. Very popular early variety; also popular for later planting for winter use. Excellent quality; good keeper. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c; ½ lb., 60c; lb., \$2.00; 2 lbs., \$3.60; 5 lbs., \$8.50 postpaid



\$8.50, postpaid.

PREMIUM LATE FLAT DUTCH. A most popular large flat, late variety; quality unsurpassed. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 60c; lb., \$2.00; 2 lbs., \$3.60; lbs., \$8.50, postpaid. For prices of plants, see page 125.



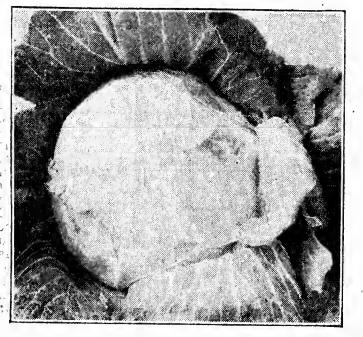
In many of the Cabbage growing districts the disease called "yellows" has caused great losses to the Cabbage growers. By selecting and breeding yellows disease-proof varieties this problem has been solved. From among these varieties, perfected which we can recommend, the Wisconsin All Season and the Wisconsin Hollander.

WISCONSIN ALL SEASON has medium size round heads, flattened at top; extremely hard and solid. Good for autumn and winter use as well as for early summer. Pkt., 10c; oz., 35c; 1/4 lb., \$1.10; lb., \$3.75; 2 lbs., \$6.75; 5 lbs.,

\$15.95, postpaid.

WISCONSIN HOLLANDER is the disease-proof variety of the Danish Ballhead type and, in addition to its ability to resist yellows, has all the good qualities of the old Danish Ballhead. Pkt., 10c; oz., 40c; 1/4 lb., \$1.25; lb., \$4.25; 2 lbs., \$7.65; 5 lbs., \$18.00, postpaid.

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New Golden Acre Cabbage

## Danish Ballhead

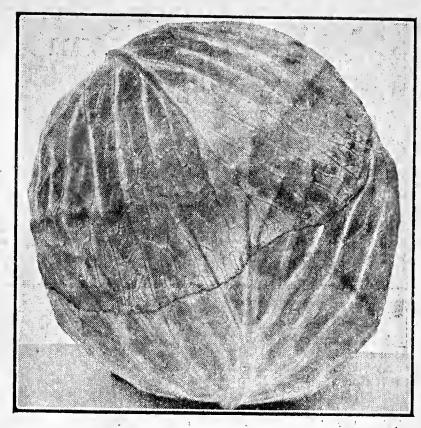
(TALL STEM)

The most popular cabbage for winter; very fine grain, tender and crisp. The heads are medium sized, round, and so hard and solid that they will weigh one-fourth more than other varieties of equal size, and will stand shipping better than other sorts. It is not necessary to dispose of the crop in the fall if market prices are not satisfactory. The crop can be stored just as safely as potatoes and they will be just as solid in the spring as when put away in the fall. Especially recommended for the Northern States. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ½ lb., 75c; lb., \$2.50; 2 lbs., \$4.50; 5 lbs., \$10.60, postpaid.



#### Danish Roundhead (SHORT-STEM BALLHEAD)

A short stemmed type of the well known and much prized Danish Ballhead Cabbage. Danish Roundhead has all the desirable qualities of the Danish Ballhead, heads of the same size, as round as balls and as solid as bullets. Fully two weeks earlier and will keep and ship as well as Danish Ballhead. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ½ lb., 75c; lb., \$2.50; 2 lbs., \$4.50; 5 lbs., \$10.60, postpaid.



Danish Ballhead

SUREHEAD. One of the best late cabbages, of the Flat Dutch type, weighing ordinarily from 10 to 15 lbs. each. Of very fine quality, solid, and of fine texture. Drought resisting, about 10 days earlier than Danish Ballhead and certain to head. Grown extensively for winter use and one of the best keepers. We recommend Surehead for the home garden. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c; lb., \$2.00; 2 lbs., \$3.60; 5 lbs.,

American Drumhead
Savoy

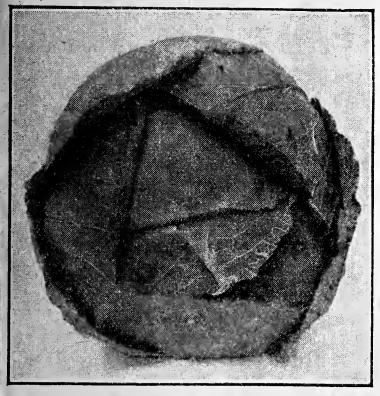
\$8.50, postpaid.

MAMMOTH ROCK RED. The largest and the very best red variety. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 80c;

lb., \$2.75; 2 lbs., \$4.95; 5 lbs., \$11.70, postpaid.

AMERICAN DRUMHEAD SAVOY. The Savoys excel all other cabbages in flavor, and our improved

Crimpod largest and the very best red variety. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 80c; strain of American Drumhead is the best of the Savoys. Crimped leaves; more tender, milder and sweeter than the smooth-leaved varieties. No garden complete without this wonderful cabbage. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; 14 lb., 75c; lb., \$2.50; 2 lbs., \$4.50; 5 lbs., \$10.60, postpaid.



Jumbo

#### JUMBO CABBAGE

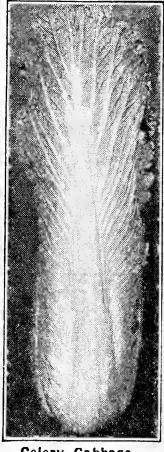
A strain of Large Late Drumhead, and the largest cabbage grown; often grows to 20 and 30 pounds each. Heads flat, rounded at top; very solid; sure to head; excellent keeper. The quality, for slicing, for kraut and for general table use is unsurpassed. Pkt., 10c; oz., 40c; ½ lb., \$1.20; lb., \$4.00, postpaid.

#### Chinese Celery Cabbage

A most delicious vegetable which combines the rich celery flavor with that of the cabbage. Can be cooked or eaten raw like celery. Makes as good salad as the finest head lettuce. The mid-ribs can be cooked like asparagus, and for cold slaw no cabbage compares with it. One of the most delicious vegetables yet introduced, and bound to become one of the most popular. We are offering seed of the two following varieties of Chinese Celery Cabbage:

PE-TSAI. Long narrow heads; large, light green leaves; thick, pure white, tender stalks are sweet and delicious. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; 1/4 lb., 75c; lb., \$2.50,

WONG BOK. Short, broad heads; well blanched, tightly folded leaves; agreeably pungent, juicy ribs. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 75c; lb., \$2.50, postpaid.



Celery Cabbage Pe-Tsai

## **Poultry Cabbage**

Poultry Cabbage is a wonderful green feed for poultry and has been known to yield 3 tons in a space 40x60 feet. One-half pound of seed will grow enough greens to feed about 1,000 hens for 4 months; 3 pounds to an acre for 6,000 hens for 4 months.

Poultry Cabbage is a rapid grower. In the Northern States the seed can be sown any time from early spring until the middle of July. In some parts of the South the seed may be sown throughout the entire year, or from July to September for main crop. Sow in rows 24 inches apart, allowing about 2 inches between the seed. 2 inches between the seed. Commence feeding when plants are about 4 inches high, pulling out and feeding alternate plants. Continue thinning

until plants are about one foot apart. These should make heads of 5 to 7 pounds in 60 days and may be fed immediately or allowed to stay in the ground until cold weather. These heads may be fed whole as they are very tender and 100 per cent edible. Chop-Poultry Cabbage

Poultry Cabbage

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## Black Mexican Sweet Corn

This is one of the richest flavored, sweetest, and tenderest sweet corns. To many of those who know it, no other variety can take its place. The ears are 8 to 9 inches in length, and are ready for the table in 85 to 90 days. The ripe seed is bluish black, but when in table condition the kernels are pearly white. It is a most desirable second early variety for the home garden. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 60c; 5 lbs., \$1.35; 10 lbs., \$2.60, postpaid. By express not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.25; 25 lbs., \$3.50; 100 lbs., \$13.00.

#### CHIVES or Schnittlaugh

A hardy perennial onion-like plant. Highly esteemed for use as a salad, and for their small leaves which are produced very early in the spring and are used for giving a mild onion flavor to various dishes. Frequent cuttings may be made throughout the season, a new growth of leaves appearing soon after each cutting. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 50c, postpaid. Plants (small clumps), 20c each; 4 for 50c; 12 for \$1.00, postpaid.

#### **CRESS**



True Water Cress

EXTRA CURLED OR PEPPER GRASS. A salad plant that should be grown in every garden. Grows very quickly and seed can be sown as early in the spring as the ground can be worked. For succession make repeated sowings every two weeks from early spring until early fall. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 25c; lb., 70c, postpaid.

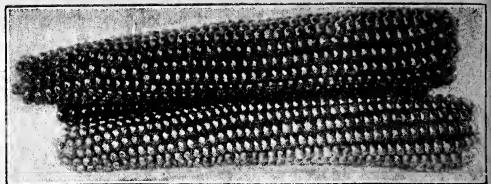
TRUE WATER CRESS. A hardy plant which will thrive well only when the roots are submerged in

water. Can be easily grown in springs or along the edges of shallow running streams. One of the most delicious of all small salad plants. Pkt., 10c; oz., 35c; ¼ lb., \$1.10; lb., \$3.75, postpaid.

UPLAND. Same flavor as Water Cress. Grows on high, dry land. As easily grown as spinach or lettuce. Hardy perennial that can be grown for several years without replanting. Pkt., 10c; oz., 30c; 1/4 lb., 90c, postpaid.

#### ASPARAGUS CHICORY

A good healthy and tasty substitute for Asparagus, and can be produced from seed the first year. The sprouts of this plant when cut fresh, boiled in salt water and served either hot or cold, have a slight asparagus flavor and make a most excellent substitute for the genuine article. It can also be blanched and eaten raw the same as celery. The tender sprouts are produced in abundance and may be cut several times in a season, as new shoots appear after each cutting. Asparagus Chicory has for years been a favorite vegetable in Italy, and repeated trials have proven that it can be just as successfully and easily grown in this country. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 35c; ½ lb., \$1.20, postpaid.



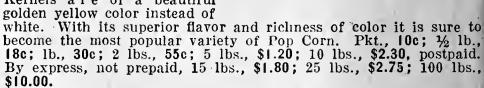
Black Beauty Pop Corn

## Pop Corn

Four Pounds of Seed to the Acre

AUSTRALIAN HULLESS. Also known in some sections as Japanese Rice, Tom Thumb, or Bumble Bee. A heavy yielder of attractive little short ears, nearly as thick as long. Its crowning merit is its popping quality, fine flavor and absence of hull or shell. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 18c; lb., 30c; 2 lbs., 55c; 5 lbs., \$1.15; 10 lbs., \$2.15, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$1.60; 25 lbs., \$2.40; 100 lbs., \$8.50.

GOLDEN AUSTRALIAN HULLESS. Same as Australian Hulless except that Kernels are of a beautiful golden vellow color instead of



Golden Australian Hulless

QUEEN'S GOLDEN. Stalks grow six feet high and the ears, which are produced in abundance, are larger than other varieties. Kernels rich orange-yellow color, round and smooth; pops perfectly white. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 18c; lb., 30c; 2 lbs., 55c; 5 lbs., \$1.15; 10 lbs., \$2.15, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$1.60; 25 lbs., \$2.40; 100 lbs., \$8.50.

BLACK BEAUTY. Ripens earlier than any other variety, yet the ears are large in size and the yield is as heavy as that of any of the later sorts. Pops large and is the finest flavored variety of Pop Corn. Although the kernels are black, they show up nice and white when popped. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 60c; 5 lbs., \$1.30; 10 lbs., \$2.50, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.10; 25 lbs., \$3.25; 100 lbs., \$12.00.

WHITE RICE. Leading market variety; very prolific. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 18c; lb., 30c; 2 lbs., 55c; 5 lbs., \$1.15; 10 lbs., \$2.10, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$1.50; 25 lbs., \$2.25; 100 lbs., \$8.00.

CHERVIL EXTRA FINE CURLED. A hardy annual with aromatic leaves somewhat resembling, but more beautiful than Parsley, and by many considered superior to it in flavor. The young leaves are used in soups and salads and for garnishing meats and vegetables. One ounce will sow 100 feet of row. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 75c, postpaid.



Witloof Chicory

## Witloof Chicory (Winter Salad or French Endive) One ounce to 200 feet of row.

Witloof is a delicious winter vegetable. It makes one of the finest of all salads, is very fine served with French dressing and eaten like lettuce, and is also excellent boiled. Plant seed in May or June in open ground and in the fall dig roots, cutting off the leaves and store in soil in a cool place until wanted for forcing. About a month before wanted the roots should be planted in boxes of

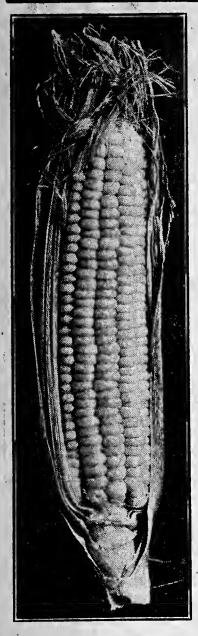
earth, in a cool, dark place in the cellar. If not grown in a dark place it should be banked up like celery, as it is the blanched stalks that are used. Coming, as it does, in the middle of the winter, it is bound to become popular as it becomes better known. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ½ lb., 55c; lb., \$1.75, postpaid.

#### Large Rooted or Coffee Chicory

One ounce to 200 feet of row.

This is a variety of Chicory which is grown primarily for its root crop, although the young leaves are fine for salad. The large roots, when roasted and ground, make a delicious nourishing drink, and have been extensively used as an adulterant and substitute for coffee. The roots are also very valuable as rabbit feed for which purpose we sell annually a large quantity of seed. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25, postpaid.

#### BURGESS' NORTHERN GROWN SWEET CORN



Golden Sunshine

One pound for 150 hills; 12 to 16 lbs. per acre.

We take pride in our select strains of Sweet Corn, which are from five to ten days earlier than the same varieties produced farther south or west. This means a great deal to the gardener who wishes to have his corn first on the market, for it is then that the best prices are obtained. Our Northern Grown Sweet Corn is also noted for its sweetness, being much sweeter than Western corn. While our prices may be a trifle higher than those charged by seedsmen who handle Western Corn, the extra price you will pay will be a most profitable investment. No matter where you live, your best assurance of an extra early crop of Sweet Corn of the best quality is to plant our carefully grown seed. Our seed will meet the requirements of the most critical market garden trade.

## GOLDEN SUNSHINE THE EARLIEST YELLOW SWEET CORN

The earliest yellow Sweet Corn, maturing at the same time as our Early Saskatchewan, and one to two weeks earlier than Golden Bantam. More dwarf in habit than Bantam, with ears the same length of Bantam but 12rowed instead of 8 and of equally good color and quality. Especially desirable for its extreme earliness, sweetness and richness of flavor. Should be planted in every home garden. Our Northern grown seed assures the market gardener of an extremely early crop to be sold at high prices. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 60c; 5 lbs., \$1.40; 10 lbs., \$2.70, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.40; 25 lbs., \$3.75; 100 lbs., \$14.00.

## Barden's Wonder Bantam **Sweet Corn**

This matchless Sweet Corn is a cross between Golden Bantam and Early Wonder, the result of which is a Bantam Sweet Corn with all the qualities and sweetness of the old reliable Golden Bantam, but with larger ears set up higher on the stalk. Ears 8\*to 10 inches long, filled with 8 rows of broad, rich, golden yellow kernels. Stalk 5 to 6 feet high. Critical market and home gardeners and canners have long been looking for a Bantam Sweet Corn with these improved qualities. One of the hig canning companies re-Corn with these improved qualities. One of the big canning companies reports that Barden's Wonder Bantam produces one-third more tonnage per acre than any other Bantam Corn they have ever grown, and will consider using no other in the future. Tests each year have proved it to be as early as Golden Bantam and much more vigorous and productive. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 60c; 5 lbs., \$1.40; 10 lbs., \$2.70, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.40; 25 lbs., \$3.75; 100 lbs., \$14.00.

## Early Saskatchewan

THE EARLIEST WHITE SWEET CORN

The earliest white Sweet Corn, maturing with Golden Sunshine; quality superior to that of most varieties of extra early Corn. It is extremely hardy; can be planted early, withstanding cold, wet weather to a wonderful degree. Ears of good size for so early a variety; kernels pure white, sweet and tender. Very productive for an extra early sort, usually producing two ears to the stalk. Highly recommend this variety for home use, and as a market sort it is a money maker. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 60c; 5 lbs., \$1.35; 10 lbs., \$2.60, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.25; 25 lbs., \$3.50; 100 lbs., \$13.00.

EARLY MAYFLOWER. One of the whitest and sweetest of the early varieties. Much like Mammoth White Cory, but is sweeter and earlier, being ready for the table a few days following Saskatchewan. Ears 6 to 8 inches in length; an exceptionally good yielder. We recommend this variety to come in between Early Saskatchewan and our Improved Golden Bantam. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 18c; lb., 30c; 2 lbs., 55c; 5 lbs., \$1.25; 10 lbs., \$2.40, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$1.95; 25 lbs., \$3.00; 100 lbs., \$11.00.

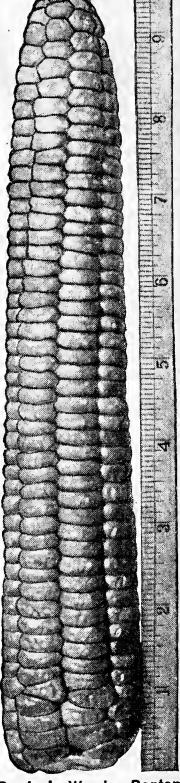
DE LUE'S GOLDEN GIANT. As good to eat as Golden Bantam; only 4 or 5 days later, but with ears 50 to 75 per cent larger. The cob contains 16 to 18 rows, which completely cover the entire surface. A most profitable variety for the market gardener. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 60c; 5 lbs., \$1.35; 10 lbs., \$2.55, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.20; 25 lbs., \$3.40; 100 lbs., \$12.50.

MAMMOTH WHITE CORY, or KENDEL'S GIANT. Popular extra early sort; ears very large for so early a variety. Excellent quality. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 18c; lb., 30c; 2 lbs., 55c; 5 lbs., \$1.25; 10 lbs., \$2.40, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$1.95; 25 lbs., \$3.00; 100 lbs., \$11.00.

GOLDEN BANTAM. The most popular early Sweet Corn; sweet, rich and delicious. In season it closely follows Early Mayflower. Ears 5 to 7 inches in length and compactly filled with kernels which, when ready for the table, are of a creamyyellow color. Golden Bantam is suited for extra early and later plantings up to July 15th. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 60c; 5 lbs., \$1.30; 10 lbs., \$2.50, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.10; 25 lbs., \$3.25; 100 lbs., \$12.00.

#### Market Gardeners

Save money by buying from us. On shipments to be made by express or freight, not pre-paid, you may deduct 10c per pound from the postpaid prices.



Barden's Wonder Bantam

GOLDEN EVERGREEN. The best main crop variety, the result of a cross between Stowell's Evergreen and Golden Bantam, possessing all the splendid qualities of both of these popular varieties and better than either. It is the finest and sweetest corn ever introduced. The ears are as large as Stowell's Evergreen and is of true Evergreen habit, remaining equally as long a time in good cooking condition. It is of the same color as Golden Bantam, and has all the delicious qualities of that variety, with an added sweetness and superior flavor. About 5 days later than De Lue's Golden Giant, or half way between Golden Bantam and Stowell's Evergreen. For the home garden and fancy market trade this corn has no equal. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 60c; 5 lbs., \$1.30; 10 lbs., \$2.50, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.10; 25 lbs., \$3.25; 100 lbs., \$12.00.

STOWELL'S EVERGREEN. The standard main crop variety in all sections. Michigan grown Stowell's Evergreen is recognized everywhere as the best type of its class. « Our strain is large eared, hardy, productive, sweet and tender, and remains a long time in cooking condition. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 18c; lb., 30c; 2 lbs., 55c; 5 lbs., \$1.25; 10 lbs., \$2.40, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$1.95; 25 lbs., \$3.00; 100 lbs., \$11.00.

COUNTRY GENTLEMAN. The sweetest of all white varieties. Due to the irregular arrangement of the kernels on the cob, it is an excellent sort to grow where worms bother the ears, for instead of working a row into the center of the ear, the worms have no row to follow and work around the end of the cob. Very prolific, rarely producing less than three ears to the stalk. Ears average 8 to 9 inches in length and grain is very deep. Has delicious flavor all its own. A week later than Stowell's Evergreen. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; 1b., 35c; 2 lbs., 60c; 5 lbs., \$1.35; 10 lbs., \$2.55, postpaid. By express, not prepaid; 15 lbs., \$2:10; 25 lbs., \$3.40; 100 lbs., \$12.50.

## Cucumber

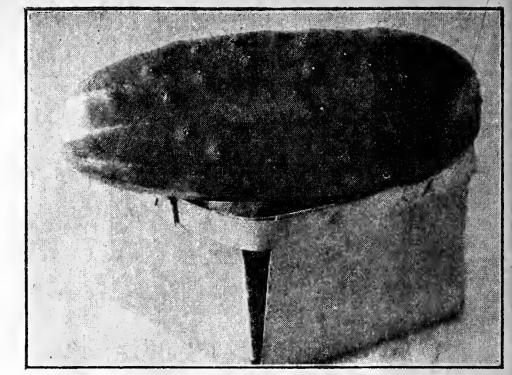
One ounce of seed for 60 hills; 3 lbs. to the acre.

We take pride in our superior stock of Pedigreed Cucumbers. Better seed cannot be produced anywhere. Market growers and private gardeners will make no mistake by planting our pedigreed seed. Bred for quality, earliness, hardiness, trueness to type and for increase in production. More than that, our seed will cost you no more than just ordinary Cucumber

Burgess' Earlibest
THE EARLIEST OF ALL SLICING CUCUMBERS AND HOLDS ITS DEEP COLOR BETTER THAN ANY OTHER SORT

Burgess' Earlibest is not only the first slicer ready for the market, but the quality is equal or better than that of most of the later sorts and it is a great yielder. It is the most profitable Cucumber for the early market. It is an extra early White Spine, handsome in shape and color, and holds its deep green color better than any other sort. Fruits grow very even in size, usually about seven inches in length, and regular in form. Color dark olive green from stem to blossom end; smooth, tender and crisp. It is very hardy, robust and free from disease. Ready for market in 55 to 58 days. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.35; 2 lbs., \$2.40; 5 lbs., \$5.70; 10

lbs., \$10.80, postpaid.



Burgess' Earlibest



Early Fortune

The Agricultural Experiment Station of the State of Maine reports Burgess' Earlibest to be of fine quality and the earliest cucumber to be ready for picking.

#### **Early Fortune**

Only two or three days later than Burgess' Earlibest, and fruits measure about two inches longer. Proclaimed by many growers as the finest type of White Spine Cucumber. The color of the skin is rich dark green, the texture of the pure white flesh is firm and crisp and the seed cavity is very small. The plants grow vigorously and the fruits are set very freely all along the vines. One of its best features is its resistance to disease. In great demand by both home gardeners and market growers. Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25; 2 lbs., \$2.25; 5 lbs., \$5.30; 10 lbs., \$10.00, postpaid.

#### Davis' Perfect (Perfected Strain)

With the exception of the New English Hybrid White Spine, our strain of Davis' Perfect is the most beautiful Cucumber grown. By using our Perfected Strain a crop can be produced outdoors which cannot be distinguished from greenhouse stock. Fruits 8 to 10 inches long; rich, dark green. It has very few seeds, and the few that are in it when in slicing condition are so very small and tender they are unnoticeable. It loads its vines so heavily that it seems impossible for them to mature the fruit. Under glass it is the most productive variety, and for outdoor growing they yield even better than in the greenhouse. For quality it is unsurpassed. Ready for the market in 60 to 65 days. Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25; 2 lbs., \$2.25; 5 lbs., \$5.30; 10 lbs., \$10.00, postpaid.

CHINA LONG-Fruits 2 Feet in Length

This is a remarkable new long green cucumber from China with fruits from 20 inches to 2 feet in length, and only 2 to 3 inches in diameter. The skin is deep green and nearly smooth, the spines being few and small. There is nothing equal to China Long for crispness except possibly some of the hothouse varieties; flesh solid and of the very best quality for slicing. The nearest seedless of any variety we have ever tried. Nearly as early as the shorter varieties; vines strong, vigorous, healthy and productive. A most desirable variety for the home garden, and is sure to be a popular market cort as good as it becomes better known. But the voice of the cort as good as it becomes better known. and is sure to be a popular market sort as soon as it becomes better known. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 45c; ½ lb., \$1.40; lb., \$4.75, postpaid.



White Wonder

#### White Wonder

Color of White Wonder is beautiful pure white. Remarkably uniform in shape and size, averaging 8 inches long by 21/2 inches thick. Begins to bear early in the season and continues until fall. Flavor is pleasing and flesh firm and Fine sliced or in salads. Its smooth, clear surface makes the White Wonder an ideal pickle. Aside from the excellent quality of the fruits, White Wonder bears a great quantity of them. A packet of seed will furnish you cucumbers in abundance. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 45c; lb., \$1.50, postpaid.

China Long

On Express Shipments, Not Prepaid, Deduct 10c per Lb. from Postpaid Prices

## English Hybrid White Spine Cucumber

#### The Aristocrat of the Cucumber Family

ENGLISH HYBRID WHITE SPINE is the result of a cross between English Telegraph and Evergreen White Spine, and combines the valuable characteristics of both. It inherits the fine appearance and shape of the English sort and the hardiness and yielding qualities of the White Spine. Besides its length, which is longer than the White Spine varieties, it is much darker in color. The seed cavity is very small, a factor distinctly in its favor as a slicing variety; finest quality, firm and crisp. English Hybrid White Spine is the ideal variety to plant for general error and will prove to be a real money maker. plant for general crop and will prove to be a real money maker for the grower who caters to the better class of trade, bringing a better price than the shorter and less attractive sorts. Don't fail to put part of your crop in to English Hybrid White Spine. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 45c; lb., \$1.50; 2 lbs., \$2.70; 5 lbs., \$6.40; 10 lbs., \$12.00, postpaid.

#### Staysgreen, or Always Green

The greenest of the Long White Spine varieties. About seven inches long; excellent shape and quality. Begins bearing very early, and picking period extends over a long time. A favorite with market gardeners. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.35; 2 lbs., \$2.40; 5 lbs., \$5.70; 10 lbs., \$10.80, postpaid.

A remarkable outdoor va-LONGFELLOW der, dark green fruits which command the same high market price as fine-quality hothouse Cucumbers. An ideal type for local sales or for packing in fancy flats for shipping to market.

The fruits are best when 10 inches long and 2 inches in diameter, but when matured measure 12 to 14 inches long by 2½ inches in diameter. Vines are productive and less subject to plant diseases than many other varieties. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 55c; lb., \$1.75; 2 lbs., \$3.15; 5 lbs., \$7.45; 10 lbs., \$14.00, postpaid.

IMPROVED LONG GREEN. 12 to 16 inches in length; excellent quality. Young fruits used for pickling, being a standard sort for that purpose; larger

standard sort for that purpose; larger ones excellent for slicing. The most popular variety for making sweet pickles from the ripe fruits. Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c; lb., \$1.40; 2 lbs., \$2.50; 5 lbs., \$5.95; 10 lbs., \$11.20,

EVERBEARING. Not only extremely prolific, but will continue in bearing throughout the season. Fruits dark green; average from 4 to 5 inches in

green; average from 4 to 5 inches in length. Excellent variety for small pickles. Pkt., 5c; oz., 12c; ½ lb., 30c; lb., \$1.00; 2 lbs., \$1.80; 5 lbs., \$14.00, postpaid.

WESTERFIELD'S CHICAGO PICK-LING. The standard pickling variety which has been used for years by nearly all the leading pickle houses. Very prolific. Pkt., 5c; oz., 12c; ½ lb., 30c; lb., \$1.00; 2 lbs., \$1.80; 5 lbs., \$4.25; 10 lbs., \$8.00, postpaid.

HEINZ SPECIAL. An improved type of pickling cucumber which is prized above all other varieties for fancy pickles. Shorter than Westerfield's Chicago Pickling, and more uniform in size, shape and color. Fruits straight, smooth, symmetrical, solid, crisp, and of rich green color. The nearest blight-proof solid, crisp, and of rich green color. The nearest blight-proof of any variety. Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.20; 2 lbs., \$2.15; 5 lbs., \$5.10; 10 lbs., \$9.60, postpaid.

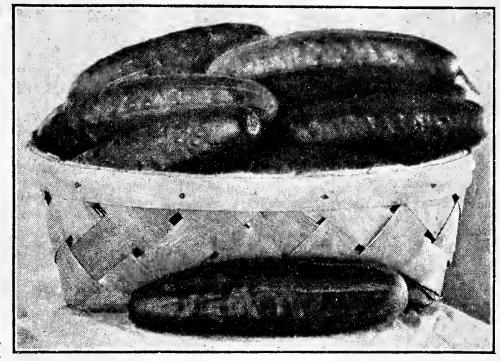
#### Japanese Climbing Wilt Resistant

A good variety to plant to save garden space. The vigorous and healthy vines throw out strong tendrils, enabling them to climb trellis, wire netting or any other suitable support. Can also be grown like other cucumbers, and is the most wilt resistant of any variety. Fruits long and thick, crisp, tender and of good quality. If kept picked, the vines will bear freely all season. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25, postpaid.

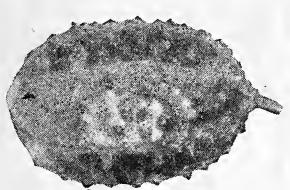
#### Serpent or Snake Cucumber

This curious Cucumber resembles a green snake. The long, slim fruits coil into most realistic serpent-like shapes. They are usually 2 to 4 feet in length, sometimes attaining a length of 6 feet. See photograph on this page, showing six of the cucumbers and a one-foot rule, to show the comparative size. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c, postpaid.

Deduct 10c per lb. from Postpaid Prices if you want seeds sent by express, not prepaid

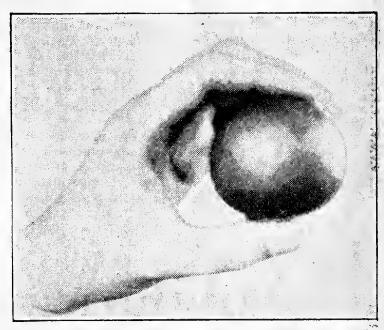


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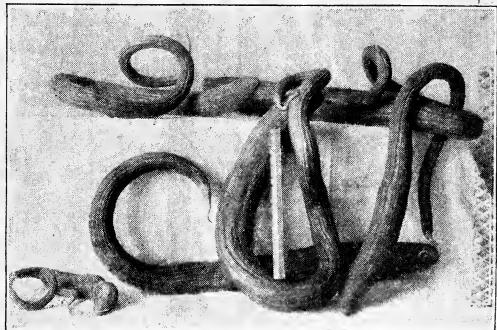
West India Gherkin

WEST INDIA GHERKIN. Small, oval-shaped, prickly fruit; used exclusively for pickling; very prolific. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 55c; lb., \$1.75; 2 lbs., \$3.15; 5 lbs., \$7.45; 10 lbs., \$14.00, postpaid.

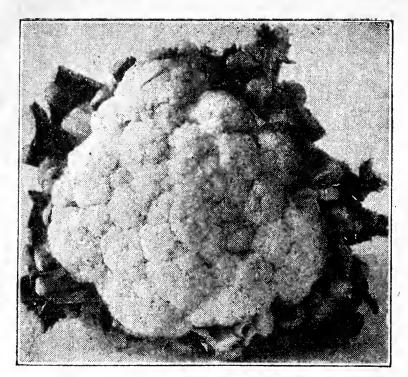


Lemon Cucumber

LEMON. A real Cucumber, similar in size, shape and color to a lemon. It has a flavor that is sweeter and somewhat different than other Cucumbers. They are highly esteemed for pickling, either green or ripe, and for slicing just as the fruits are turning yellow. It is rust and drought resistant, and will produce a big crop of fruits almost regardless of weather and soil conditions. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 55c; lb., \$1.75, postpaid.



Serpent or Snake Cucumber



Early Snowball Cauliflower

## Cauliflower

One ounce of seed will produce 2,000 plants

EARLY SNOWBALL. Our select strain of Early Snowball is far superior to the seed ordinarily sold of this variety and is the earliest Cauliflower grown. A very reliable heading variety with rich, snow-white, close, compact head of the very best quality. Pkt., 20c; ¼ oz., 60c; ½ oz., \$1.00; oz., \$1.75; ¼ lb., \$6.00; lb., \$22.00, postpaid.

EARLY DWARF ERFURT. An excellent early variety. A little later than Early Snowball, but larger. Pkt., 15c; ½ oz., 50c; ½ oz., 90c; oz., \$1.60; 1/4 lb., \$5.50; lb., \$20.00, postpaid.

DRY WEATHER. A large second-early variety, producing immense compact heads of the very best quality. Will grow and head in hot, dry districts where it is difficult to grow other varieties. Extra select seed. Pkt., 20c; ½ oz., 60c; ½ oz., \$1.00; oz., \$1.75; ½ lb., \$6.00; lb., \$22.00, postpaid.

VEITCH'S AUTUMN GIANT. A very large, late variety producing quite compact white heads. Like all late varieties, it is not nearly so reliable as the early sorts except in cool sections. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 30c; oz., 50c; ¼ lb., \$1.50; lb., \$5.00, postpaid.

#### **CELERY**

One ounce of seed will produce about 5,000 plants



Golden Self-Blanching

GIANT PASCAL. Best of all for late fall and winter use, but too brittle to stand shipping any distance. A tall sort with large, thick and solid green stalks, which blanch to golden yellow; crisp, of fine nutty flavor, and an excellent keeper. Pkt., 8c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 70c; lb., \$2.25; 2 lbs., \$4.05; 5 lbs., \$9.55, postpaid.

#### Golden Plume Celery

A new semi-dwarf early variety, producing thick and heavy stalks with a well-blanched solid heart; crisp and of the highest table quality. More vigorous than Golden Self-Blanching and quite resistant to blight and rot. Celery growers who have tried it report it superior to any of the other early easy blanching types. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 30c; oz., 55c; ¼ lb., \$1.75; lb., \$6.00; 2 lbs., \$10.80; 5 lbs., \$25.50, postpaid.

GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING. The most popular early variety. Plants of medium size, compact and stocky. As they mature the inner stems and leaves turn beautiful golden yellow so that blanching is effected at a minimum expenditure of time and labor. Handsome color, crispness, tenderness, freedom from stringiness, and fine nutty flavor have established it as a superior early sort. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 25c; oz., 45c; ¼ lb., \$1.35; lb., \$4.50; 2 lbs., \$8.10; 5 lbs., \$19.10, postpaid.

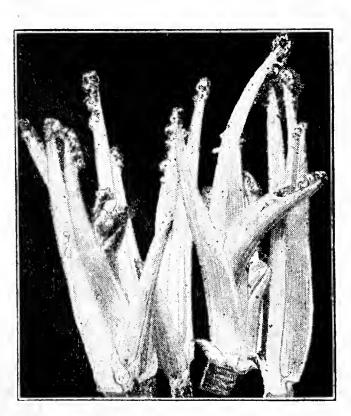
WHITE PLUME. The earliest celery in cultimation. Stelks pure white origin and delicious

tivation. Stalks pure white, crisp and delicious. Pkt., 8c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 75c; lb., \$2.50; 2 lbs., \$4.50; 5 lbs., \$10.60, postpaid.

WINTER QUEEN. The finest dwarf winter celery, and the best keeper of all. Quite similar to Golden Self-Blanching in height and habit, but with leaves and stalks resembling Giant but with leaves and stalks resembling Giant Pascal in color. Ready for market earlier than Pascal. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 75c; lb., \$2.50; 2 lbs., \$4.50; 5 lbs., \$10.60, postpaid.

#### CELERIAC (Turnip Rooted Celery)

A popular vegetable in Europe. Instead of producing long leaf stalks like ordinary celery it has a turnip-like root with true celery flavor and is greatly liked by nearly all who have tried it. Excellent for salads and flavoring, or cooked like parsnips, turnips or oyster plant. Roots are fit to use when about 2 inches in diameter. Will keep all winter like beets and carrots if packed in moist earth or sand.



Celery Asparagus

GIANT PRAGUE is by far the best variety and is sure to give satisfaction. Roots are very large, nearly twice the size of other varieexcel any other sort in both appearance and quality. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 70c; lb., \$2.25, postpaid. ties, nearly globe shaped, and smooth, and

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Celeriac

#### **CELERY ASPARAGUS** or Ivory White Sea Kale

One Ounce Will Produce About 200 Plants Celery Asparagus or Ivory White Sea Kale is a delicious perennial vegetable which is cultivated somewhat like Asparagus, and is very easily grown. It is ready for use earlier in the spring than Asparagus, and combines the flavor of Asparagus with that of Celery. Its blanched stalks are cooked like Asparagus and the leaves are used as greens. Owing to its extraordinary merit it is worthy of general cultivation. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 50c, postpaid.

## DASHEEN

# A Delicious Vegetable and Ornamental Foliage Plant

Large Tuberous Roots Used Like Potatoes, Blanched Stems Like Asparagus, and the Leaves Used for Greens. Large Tropical-like Ornamental Foliage Similar to the Popular Elephant's Ear Caladium.

The Dasheen is popular in various parts of Europe and Asia, where it is grown principally as a root crop, the tubers being used the same as potatoes. The tubers sometimes reach a weight of more than 6 pounds each. One hill will produce on good rich soil 6 to 8 pounds or more of tubers, and in rare instances 20 to 26 pounds of Dasheens have been taken from a single hill. Crops of 600 to 900 bushels per acre have been produced.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture report 1,400 bushels from less than 5 acres in Florida, and on their different experimental grounds have secured yields of 450 bushels to the

The "Country Gentleman" published the following regarding it: "Not only does the Dasheen promise well as a market crop once the public generally has recognized its merits, but in the meantime it is capable of furnishing food for home consumption. Its food value is higher than the potato, and about fifty per cent more protein and fifty per cent more starch. The flavor of the Dasheen is decidedly richer and more tempting than that of the potato."

Land that is too wet for ordinary crops can be used to advantage in growing Dasheens. They can be grown on lands that are subject to short overflows that would ruin most other crops, thus making much land available for food crops that



A 5-Lb. Dasheen Tuber

is now considered worthless. They may also be successfully grown in hot, dry regions as has been demonstrated by tests in Arizona and in the desert regions of Southern California.

The Dasheen can be used in almost any way that Irish Potatoes or Sweet Potatoes can be used. They are excellent when baked, boiled, fried, creamed, stuffed, meat filled or scalloped, and for Saratoga Dasheen Chips and Fritters they are delicious.

Dasheen crisps, made from raw Dasheen with a fluted vegetable slicer and fried in deep fat, are declared by some epicures to be the most delicious of all Dasheen dishes. The delicate, nutty flavor of the Dasheen is accentuated by this method of preparation. As a filling for fowl and other meats the Dasheen can hardly be surpassed. Served au gratin, that is, cooked with grated cheese, it is equal to any similar dish. It makes a delicious salad and may be French fried or German fried like potatoes.

The young leaves of the Dasheen make excellent greens, used like Spinach.

The stems, when grown under a box or barrel, so as to be blanched, are equal to Asparagus, and 5 to 8 crops of these shoots can be harvested. The Department of Agriculture says: "The shoots are very tender and have a delicate flavor, suggestive of mushrooms. There are probably few plants so well suited for forcing purposes as the Dasheen." First cutting can be made in about 35 days after tubers are set in ground, and subsequent ones at intervals of 10 to 14 days.

Dasheens require a rather long growing season in order to produce large size tubers, so planting should be done as early in the spring as conditions of soil and climate will permit. For field culture the tubers are planted singly and entire, not more than 2 to 3 inches deep in hills 3 feet apart, the distance between rows being 4 feet. This will permit horse cultivation. In cultivating, the soil should be gradually drawn to the plants and the ground kept free from weeds, but require little cultivation after large enough to shade the ground. For ornamental purposes, they produce a gorgeous effect when planted with Cannas or used in the shrubbery or perennial border.

In growing Dasheens there seems to be no disease or insect enemy to contend with, as there is in growing potatoes. No dreaded

potato bugs to be poisoned; no rot, scab, blight, mildew or other trouble.

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While we do not recommend the Dasheen as a root crop in Northern sections where the season is short, we surely consider it worthy of a place in every garden. If you live in a locality where the growing season is not long enough to mature a satisfactory



TWENTY-THREE POUNDS OF DASHEENS FROM ONE HILL

In the center are five marketable tubers, having a total weight of 11% pounds. At the left are eight first-grade tubers, which weighed 2½ pounds, making a total of 14½ pounds of first grade marketable Dasheens. In the pile of tubers on the right some are of size and shape good enough to be classed as second-grade for market. The remainder are suitable for home table use, for seed, or for stock feed.

crop of tubers, the blanched asparagus-like stems and spinach-like leaves alone will many times repay you for the small garden space occupied by a few hills of Dasheens. If you haven't the room in your garden to give them a trial, you can at least plant a few for ornamental purposes and at the same time find out what the people in other parts of the world raise for food. In addition to being one of the finest vegetables, you will also find them one of the most showy ornamental foliage plants, the leaves resembling closely the Caladium Esculentum, or Elephant's Ear. As our stock of tubers is limited, we recommend that you send your order early.

Choice seed tubers, 3 for 40c; 6 for 75c; 12 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.00; 50 for \$3.75; 100 for \$7.00, delivered to you prepaid. Pamphlet giving cultural directions and recipes for preparing and cooking the Dasheen free with each order.



Black Beauty Egg Plant

## EGG PLANT

One ounce of seed for 1,000 plants

BLACK BEAUTY. The earliest of all large fruited Egg Plants. The fruits grow to an enormous size and are ready to use 10 days to 2 weeks ahead of other varieties. The plants grow into a compact and robust bush, and are laden with the mammoth fruits. Under favorable conditions they bear continuously until frost. The fruits are of most attractive form; the skin is a rich, lustrous, purplish black.

Very productive; entirely free from spines or thorns. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 40c; ¼ lb., \$1.25; lb., \$4.25, postpaid.

NEW YORK PURPLE (SPINELESS). An entirely spineless strain of the large fruited type. Exceptionally productive, each plant bearing from 4 to 6 large oblong fruits. The fruits are of deep purple color, quite smooth, and of the finest quality. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 35c; ¼ lb., \$1.20; lb., \$4.00, postpaid.

#### **Endive or Winter Lettuce**

One ounce will sow 150 feet of row



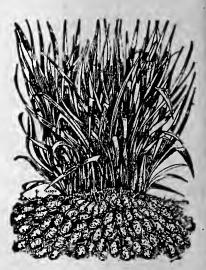
EXTRA CURLED. One of the most refreshing of all autumn and winter salads. May be grown any season of the year, but is more generally used late in the fall. Blanched by tying up the leaves in a conical form for about 10 days before using. Dr. Finck, an authority on foods, recommends it as a food for persons suffering from indigestion. Pkt., 5c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c; lb., \$1.00; 2 lbs., \$1.80; 5 lbs., \$4.25,

SELF-BLANCHING. An improved strain of Extra Curled that does not need tying up. Pkt., loc; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 45c; lb., \$1.50; 2 lbs., \$2.70; 5 lbs., \$6.35,

BROAD LEAVED BATAVIAN OR ESCAROLLE. Foliage broad and flat—deep green leaves with thick midrib, that is exceedingly palatable when well blanched. Stands dry weather better than any other sort. We believe this variety is unsurpassed for salad when blanched by an experienced gardener, but is more generally used cooked like Kale or Spinach or as flavoring for soups, stews, etc. Pkt., 5c; oz., 12c; 1/4 lb., 30c; lb., \$1.00; 2 lbs., \$1.80; 5 lbs., \$4.25, postpaid.

#### **GROUND ALMONDS**

The Ground Almond, or Chufa, has a fine flavor, resembling the Coconut or Almond. The meat is snow-white, covered with a thin shell or skin of brown color. It grows close to the surface. Is very prolific, a single nut yielding from 200 to 300 nuts in a hill and will do well in any kind of soil. If the nuts are planted in the spring the same as potatoes a big crop can be expected about potato harvest time. They grow so rapidly and produce such immense crops that you will be surprised. Plant some for the children. Everybody likes them. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 20c; ½ lb., 40c; lb., 75c; 3 lbs., \$2.00; 10 lbs., \$5.00, postpaid.



Ground Almonds

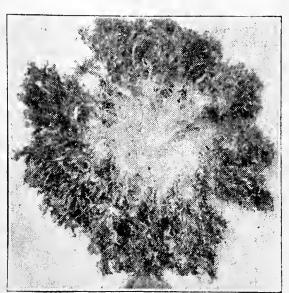
**GARDEN HUCKLEBERRY** 

Grows from seed the first year. A new fruit that cannot be excelled for Pies and Preserves. It is very prolific, yielding an immense

crop of fruit. It is an annual and must be planted each year from seed. Grows and thrives in all climates and on all kinds of soil. The fruits grow larger than the common Huckleberry or Blueberry and will remain on the plant two months after they are ripe. If cooked with apples, lemons or anything sour, they make the very finest jelly. You will be delighted and astonished with this easily grown and wonderful novelty. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 50c, postpaid.

#### GROUND CHERRY

IMPROVED YELLOW. Each year this little fruit is becoming more popular. They grow on almost any soil, are easily raised, and are prolific bearers. For sauce or pies they are excellent. They are delicious as preserves, and when



Garden Huckleberry

Extra Curled Endive

dried in sugar, are as good as raisins for cakes and puddings. The round fruit is ½ inch in diameter, grows in a small husk, and is of handsome ellow color keep nearly all winter if stored in a cool place. No one, after raising them once, will ever make a garden without devoting a portion to the Ground Cherry. Be sure and get the Improved Yellow. Our seed is the genuine Improved Yellow. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 45c, post-

#### **GARLIC**

The bulbs are divided into "cloves" or flakes and set out like onion sets, about 4 inches apart in the row and 2 inches deep. Bulbs only. ¼ lb., 15c; lb., 45c; 3 lbs., \$1.25, postpaid. 5 lbs. or more by express, not prepaid, 30c per lb.

#### **DANDELION**

One Ounce Will Sow 100 Feet of Row

GIANT CABBAGE-LEAVED or IMPROVED THICK LEAF. An improved type which should not be confused with the wild Dandelion. It is one of the earliest spring vegetables, and is much prized as a blood purifier and for its other health-giving qualities. Unsurpassed for early spring greens, and esteemed for making salad when the leaves are young and tender. The leaves are of a dark green color, but can be blanched by sheltering from light with inverted pots, covering with boards or tying up the same as Cos Lettuce. Cultivate same as Lettuce. It remains over winter and is ready for cutting the following spring. If the roots are not disturbed, they will grow again, affording another supply the next year. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 45c; ¼ lb., \$1.50; lb., \$5.00, postpaid.

## Kohl-Rabi

(Turnip Rooted Cabbage)

One ounce of seed to 200 feet of row. The Kohl-Rabi belongs to the Cabbage family. It does not make a head, but the stalk forms a turnip-shaped swelling just above the surface of the earth. These balls when the size of an egg make a very excellent vegetable. May be cooked either like cauliflower or turnip, resembling cauliflower in flavor. They are in season during June, July and August, or at periods when turnips are not good, and succeed in dry weather when turnips are fibrous and hot. For a continuous supply sow every 2 weeks up to the middle of July.

EARLY WHITE VIENNA is the best variety of Kohl-Rabi; very select, extra-early strain; ready for the table in 60 days from seed. Flesh firm but cooks very tender: sweet and de-

from seed. Flesh firm but cooks very tender; sweet and delicious. No garden complete without it. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c;

1/4 lb., 55c; lb., \$1.75, postpaid.

#### Kale, or Borecole

One Ounce of Seed to 300 Feet of Row

This is a species of the cabbage family which is extensively grown for greens. It is hardier than cabbage; plants withstand several degrees of frost. In the Northern states it will provide an abundance of greens throughout the summer and late into fall, and all winter and the following spring in the South.

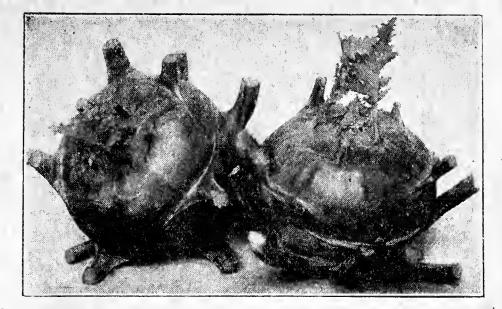
DWARF SCOTCH. The best variety. Large, finely curled, parsley-like leaves which can be used for garnishing as well as for greens. Tender and of the very finest flavor. Pkt., 5c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 35c; lb., \$1.10; 2 lbs., \$2.00; 5 lbs., \$4.65, postpaid.

#### Leek

One Ounce of Seed to 100 Feet of Row

GIANT FLAG. Highly esteemed as a fall and winter substitute for green onions. Excellent for stews, soups or creamed.
Belongs to the Onion family but is considered of finer flavor.
Mild and sweet; very hardy and easily cultivated in the home garden. The edible stems are 6 to 8 inches in length and about 3 inches in diameter. Pkt., 10c;

oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 45c; lb., \$1.50, postpaid.



Early White Vienna Kohl-Rabi





Finocchio :

#### Finocchio or Florence Fennel

A delicious vegetable which should be more largely grown. It is extensively used as a salad in

some parts of Europe, and is particularly palatable when served boiled, with a cream dressing.

# COFFEE ONE CENT PER LB.



Grow your own coffee at an expense of less than one cent per pound. The Domestic Coffee Berry makes a delicious, nourishing drink, to take the place of injurious coffee. It is a pure food drink that gives health and strength to young and old. The best coffee substitute ever discovered, and thousands pronounce it as good or better than the best coffee. It has the rich, deep brown color of old Java. One of the easiest grown and most productive of all plants. It is an early variety of soy beans, can be successfully

grown in any climate, and is sure to ripen even in the extreme North. As easily grown as corn or beans, and does well on all soils. Thousands suffer untold injury from store coffee. Better grow some of the Domestic Coffee Berry this year and save your health and money. Prepared like any other coffee. Full directions with every packet. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 40c, postpaid.

Very distinct from Sweet Fennel, easily cultivated, and matures quickly from seed sown in early summer. The thickened bases of the leaf-stalks form a bulb-like growth, which is blanched by earthing up like celery. Requires less blanching than celery. The flavor is somewhat like celery, but sweeter. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 75c, postpaid.

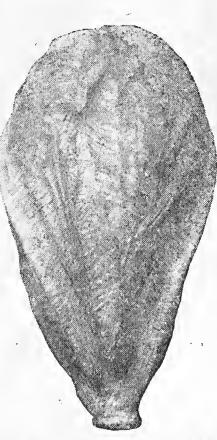
#### Horse Radish

Horse Radish is grown from sets or pieces of the root. Set the pieceroot vertically, small end down, and the large end one to three inches below the surface of the ground. Cultivate until tops cover the ground, when their shade will keep down the

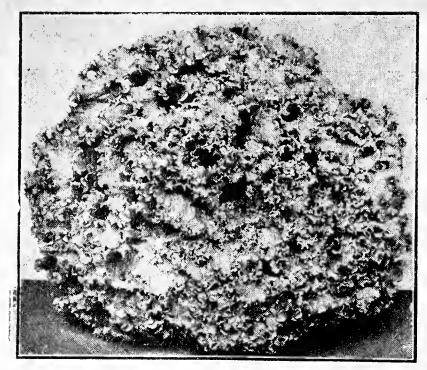
BOHEMIAN or MALINER KREN is an improved, large-rooted variety of excellent quality, introduced into the United States by the Department of Agriculture. The quick growth enables the grower to place the roots in the market much earlier than with the common variety. Sets for planting: 6 for 20c; 12 for 30c; 25 for 50c; 106 for \$1.50; 250 for \$3.00; 1,000 for \$10.00, postpaid.

#### **Celery Lettuce**

Cos or Celery Lettuce is an entirely distinct type of lettuce, and is rapidly gaining favor. The plants are of erect growth, forming a slightly oblong bunch of large, crisp leaves. The outer leaves should be gathered together at the top and loosely tied with a piece of soft string for several days before wanted for use. This blanches the inner leaves to snowy whiteness and brittle crispness. BURGESS' IMPROVED is the best variety, always sweet and tender and of the best quality, even when grown during the hot summer months. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c; lb., \$1.40; 2 lbs., \$2.50; 5 lbs., \$5.95, postpaid.



Burgess' Celery Lettuce

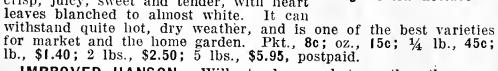


Beefsteak Lettuce

california cream butter. Large solid heads; rich and buttery. Grown extensively in the South. Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c; ¼ 1b., 40c; 1b., \$1.25; 2 lbs., \$2.25; 5 lbs., \$5.30, postpaid.

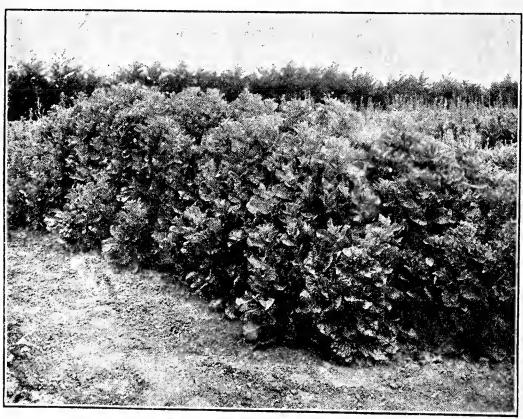
GRAND RAPIDS FORCING. The best loose-leaved sort for forcing under glass and an excellent variety for outdoor planting. Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25; 2 lbs., \$2.25; 5 lbs., \$5.30, postpaid.

ICEBERG. An easily grown Lettuce of the crisphead type; no other variety surpasses it in quality. The heads are of medium size, firm and hard, exceedingly crisp, juicy, sweet and tender, with heart leaves blanched to almost white. It can



Big Boston Lettuce

IMPROVED HANSON. Will stand more hot weather than any other sort, excepting "Celery" Lettuce. Immense solid head. Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c; ½ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25; 2 lbs., \$2.25; 5 lbs., \$5.30, postpaid.



Chicken or Rabbit Lettuce

#### Chicken or Rabbit Lettuce

The best green feed for chickens or rabbits. In this new variety you will find a feed that yields as much or more than other green feeds. It is economical to grow, for when cut it resumes its growth rapidly and can be cut again and again; or the leaves can be pulled off each stem like the Jersey Kale. The yield is extremely heavy. Chicken or Rabbit Lettuce is too coarse for a table variety. Grows 3 to 4 feet high and just loaded with large leaves. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ½ lb., 60c; lb., \$2.00, postpaid.

## Burgess' Choice Lettuce

One ounce will sow 125 feet of row or produce about 3,000 plants.

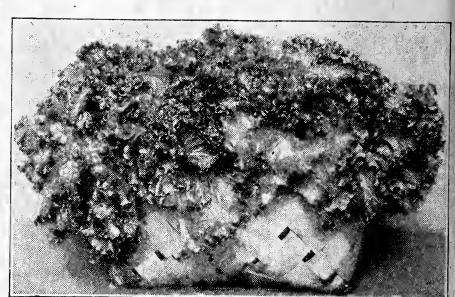
4 pounds to the acre.

ALL SEASONS (Deacon). A popular variety with medium size heads made up of thick, light green leaves. The heart blanches to golden yellow and has a delicious, rich, buttery flavor. A sure header and slow to run to seed. Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c; ½ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25; 2 lbs., \$2.25; 5 lbs., \$5.30, postpaid.

BEEFSTEAK. One of the best varieties for the home garden. Does not form tightly folded heads, but makes a compact bunch of leaves. The large, crimped leaves are highly colored brownish-red; crisp, sweet and exceedingly tender; very early, and stands a long time without going to seed. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ½ lb., 50c; lb., \$1.65; 2 lbs., \$2.95; 5 lbs., \$7.00, postpaid.

BIG BOSTON. The best head lettuce for forcing under glass, and one of the best for outdoor planting. Produces large, solid heads, often 10 to 12 inches across. Excellent quality; sure to head. Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c; ½ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25; 2 lbs., \$2.25; 5 lbs., \$5.30, postpaid.

BLACK SEEDED SIMPSON. The most popular curled or loose-leaved sort for early outdoor planting. Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c; ½ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25; 2 lbs., \$2.25; 5 lbs., \$5.30, postpaid.



Grand Rapids Forcing

LOS ANGELES, NEW YORK, or WONDER-FUL. The greatest head lettuce ever introduced, and furnishes fine crisp lettuce during the hot summer months. The largest variety grown, often producing heads weighing more than 2 pounds each, nearly as solid as a cabbage, and inside leaves blanched to beautiful creamy-white. Stands shipping as well as cabbage and remains in condition longer than other sorts. The most crisp and tender head lettuce grown. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 55c; lb., \$1.75; 2 lbs., \$3.15; 5 lbs., \$7.45, postpaid.

MAY KING. The earliest head lettuce grown. Golden yellow heart; excellent quality. Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25; 2 lbs., \$2.25; 5 lbs., \$5.30, postpaid.

CELERY LETTUCE, Cos or Romaine. See page 19.

#### White Boston Lettuce

This is of recent introduction, and one of the finest varieties of Lettuce ever grown. Forms a beautiful, large, solid head similar to Big Boston, but is earlier. The outer leaves are light green with no brown edges; the tightly folded heart blanches to a bright creamy yellow. It is sweet, tasty, tender, crisp and juicy. Due to superb quality and wonderful flavor it is an ideal home garden variety, and the fact that it matures good marketable heads a few days earlier than Big Boston makes it a most profitable variety for market growers. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c; lb., \$1.50; 2 lbs., \$2.70; 5 lbs., \$6.40, postpaid.

ON EXPRESS SHIPMENTS, NOT PREPAID, DEDUCT 10c PER LB. FROM POSTPAID PRICES

## Burgess' Michigan Grown Muskmelon Seed

One ounce of seed for 50 hills; 3 pounds per acre.

There are many localities other than Michigan in which excellent Muskmelon seed is produced but none that combines the excellent quality with the extreme earliness that our Michigan grown pedigreed seed does. The assurance of a big crop of nielons of best quality, and ready for market a few days ahead of melons grown from seed produced elsewhere, is of the very greatest importance to the market grower. You can order your Muskmelon seed from us with the assurance that better seed cannot be secured anywhere.

#### Hearts of Gold

Owing to its superior quality, Hearts of Gold has taken first place in nearly all localities where it has been introduced. It is a good shipper, and just the right size to be served in halves. Average weight, 1½ to 1¾ lbs. Flesh deep orange, extremely thick, fine grained, of the very best quality and very sweet and melting. It is a money maker for market gar-deners and few, if any, are its equal for the home garden. It is a marvel of productiveness. Ripe fruits in 75 days. Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c; ½ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.20; 2 lbs., \$2.15; 5 lbs., \$5.10; 10 lbs., \$9.60, postpaid.

# Lake Champlain

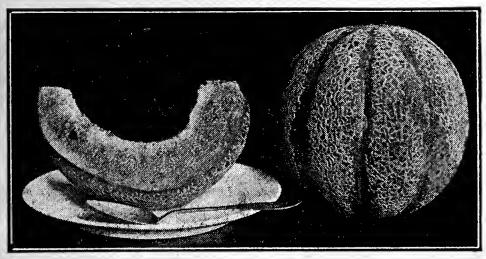
The Earliest Muskmelon of Good Quality

Our Michigan grown seed of this variety produces ripe fruits in 57 to 60 days from date the seed is planted in the field, bringing your crop ahead of competitors and netting you the top market price. The Cornell University Experiment Station reports this melon to be much earlier than any other in their very extensive trials. It is not only the earliest Muskmelon of good quality, but it is so good that Professor Tompson of the Massachusetts Agricultural College reports it as the best in quality he has ever eaten. The flesh is deep, very sweet and melting, of golden yellow color; a small round melon; nicely netted. The plant is very vigorous and healthy, setting and ripening melons even under adverse conditions. It is not a long distance shipping melon, but will give you the earliest quality melon for the local market, and net you more profit

than any other Muskmelon grown.

MICHIGAN GROWN SEED. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25; 2 lbs., \$2.25; 5 lbs., \$5.30; 10 lbs., \$10.00, postpaid.

COLORADO GROWN SEED. Matures melons a few days later than Michigan seed. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 30c; lb., 95c; 2 lbs., \$1.70; 5 lbs., \$4.00; 10 lbs., \$7.60, postpaid.

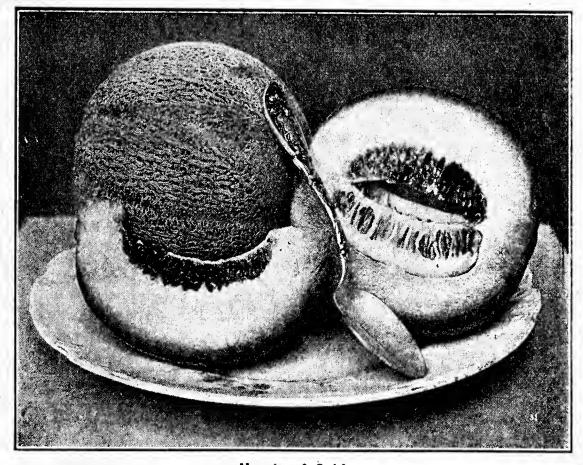


Lake Champlain

## Bender's Surprise

#### The Best Large Size Muskmelon

Exquisitely fine flavor, large size and medium earliness combine to make this new melon a great favorite. Melons average quite large, many weighing 10 pounds or more; oval in shape; light green with coarse netting, and turn a golden tint as they mature. Flesh deep orange, very thick and deliciously sweet. Will keep in good condition a week after picking, and actually improve in flavor during that time. The flesh is so firm and thick that the melons remain in good condition much longer than any other large melon of this class. For market and shipping this is an important consideration. We know of no other large Muskmelon that will equal the Bender for either the market or the home garden. Pkt., 8c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 35c; lb., \$1.15; 2 lbs., \$2.05; 5 lbs., \$4.90; 10 lbs., \$9.20, postpaid.



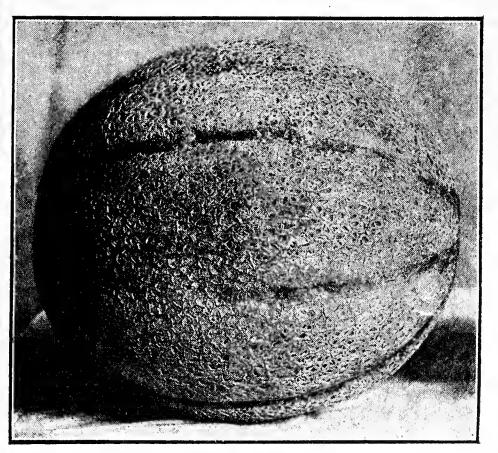
Hearts of Gold

#### People from Miles Around Came to Look at These Melons

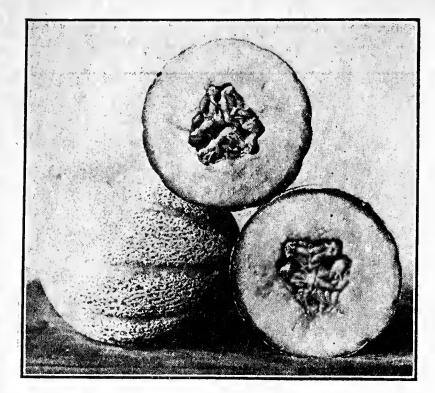
J. C. Ordway, Outlook, Sask., Canada, lives where the seasons are short and cold, and it is ordinarily supposed that melons can not be grown there. He writes us as follows:

"Last spring I bought from you one pound of Pride of Yukon Watermelon, also one pound each of Lake Champlain and Hale's Best Muskmelon. These seeds did splendid in this country and I would like to buy 20 lbs. of the Pride of Yukon Watermelon seed and 10 lbs. Pride of Yukon Watermelon seed and 10 lbs. each of the Muskmelon seeds. I am sending you a picture which was taken in Saskatoon, Sask., of a load of Pride of Yukon Water-melons grown by me. Muskmelons! I grew hundreds of 'em. I had people here from miles around to look at them and the most of the people had never seen a Muskmelon before and had never seen a Muskmelon before and had never seen. fore and had never seen Watermelons growing."

This proves that when Burgess' Hardy Grown Seeds are planted crops can be matured in sec-tions where failure would be almost certain with ordinary seeds.



Bender's Surprise

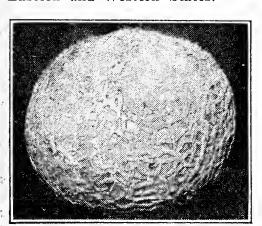


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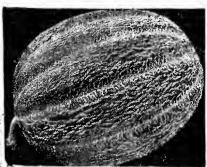
EXTRA EARLY HACKENSACK. The best early green fleshed muskmelon and one of the hardiest and most prolific. Ripe fruits in 65 days—fully 10 days ahead of the well known old Hackensack. Fruits round, flattened at the ends, irregularly ribbed and heavily netted. Flesh green, thick, of excellent quality and flavor. Melons are of good size, weighing from 5 to 10 pounds each. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ½ lb., 30c; lb., \$1.00; 2 lbs., \$1.80; 5 lbs., \$4.25; 10 lbs., \$8.00, postpaid.

## HONEY ROCK The Million Dollar Melon

Honey Rock (also called Sugar Rock) has proved to be the most profitable market variety in the melon growing districts of Michigan, Indiana and Ohio, and it is sure to become a leader throughout both the Eastern and Western States.



Sugar Rock



Osage, or Miller's Cream

Honey Rock will stand shipping and handling better than any other high grade melon, and due to its striking appearance and superior flavor and quality it is rapidly becoming a favorite, commanding the highest prices in city markets. It is one of the most productive varieties grown. Five to seven perfect fruits, and often more, are produced on one vine. The rind is so tough and the flesh so firm that they can be allowed to ripen on the vine and then be shipped long distances and arrive in perfect condition. It is not of the Rocky Ford type. It averages a little larger and is earlier, maturing its fruits in about 85 days. The fruits are slightly oval—nearly round—and are overlaid with a heavy gray netting. This heavy netting and tough rind is what makes them

stand handling and shipping so well.

Honey Rock has deep orange flesh. Is wonderfully sweet and delicious. Extra select seed. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.20; 5 lbs., \$5.10; 10 lbs., \$9.60, postpaid.

or MILLER'S CREAM. One of the most popular main crop varieties. Fruits medium in size, salmon flesh, thick, fine grained and highly flavored. A good shipper, and always in demand. Our Michigan seed produces ripe fruits in 75 days. Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25; 2 lbs., \$2.25; 5 lbs., \$5.30; 10 lbs., \$10.00, nostpaid

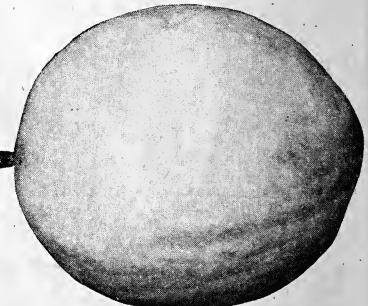


#### The Earliest Variety Grown

Hale's Best is a larger melon than Lake Champlain, and probably two or three days earlier. In fact, we consider it the earliest melon grown. It is not a melon of high quality, but it is a wonderful seller and a great money maker. It is a melon that can be shipped clear across the country or trucked a great distance and reach the consumer in the best of condition. While it is a melon of recent introduction, the probabilities are that more of this variety was grown last year by the large western melon growers than all other varieties combined. This is due to the fact it is the most profitable variety for them to grow. If you are growing melons for the market, you should plant liberally of this melon. It is heavily netted and very attractive in appearance; very thick salmon flesh. Pkt., 8c; oz., 12c; ½ lb., 35c; lb., \$1.15; 2 lbs., \$2.05; 5 lbs., \$4.90; 10 lbs., \$9.20, postpaid.

#### "Honey Dew," the Famous Melon

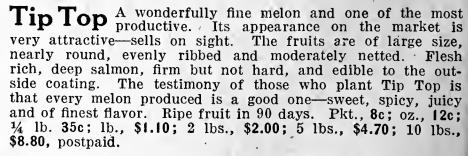
This is a cross between the Rocky Ford Cantaloupe and a South Sea Island Casaba. It has retained all the best qualities of both and is better than either. The melon is nearly white, turning to lemon-yellow when ripening, and the average size is a little larger than that of a coconut. The flesh is light green, the juiciest and sweetest Muskmelon and luscious in flavor. The rind is hard. It is good as soon as picked off the vine and will keep good for months if kept in a cool, dry place. It is therefore a good shipper and a most splendid fruit to grow for the market. In the city markets the Honey Dew sells at higher prices than any other melon. As a local melon, it advertises itself. The first one eaten creates a desire for more. Plant it in your home garden. It will afford you more pleasure than any other vegetable you have. Ripe fruits in 90 to 120 days, depending upon the season. Full grown fruits that do not ripen on the vines before the fall frosts can be picked and will ripen in storage. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.35; 2 lbs., \$2.45; 5 lbs., \$5.75; 10 lbs., \$10.80, postpaid.



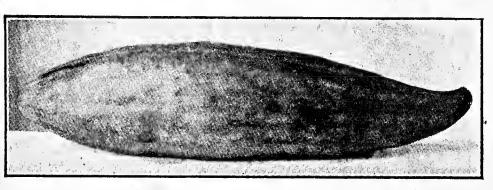
Honey Dew Melon

#### Banana Muskmelon

This melon surpasses all others in its delicious fragrance. The flesh (the melon being nearly solid) is of a rich salmon. The quality is excellent when the melon is thoroughly ripe. It grows from 18 to 36 inches in length, and is very prolific. It looks almost like an overgrown banana and smells like one. Has a flavor all its own. Very sweet and delicious. Don't fail to try it. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ½ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.35, postpaid.



ROCKY FORD. The most famous Muskmelon. Melons nearly round and uniform in shape and size. Flesh light green, very deep, ripening clear to the rind. Delicious, delicate spicy flavor. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 30c; lb., \$1.00; 2 lbs., \$1.80; 5 lbs., \$4.25; 10 lbs., \$8.00, postpaid.



Banana Muskmelon

ON EXPRESS SHIPMENTS, NOT PREPAID, DEDUCT 10c PER LB. FROM POSTPAID PRICES

## BURGESS' WATERMELON SEED

#### Produces Earlier Melons

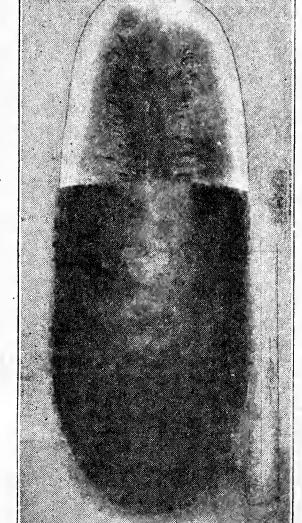
Plant Burgess' Watermelon Seed for Early Maturity. Be First on the Market. Our seed is adapted to all climates and is the best for both the Northern and the Southern planter. We sell thousands of pounds of Watermelon seed to Southern planters who grow early melons to ship North. The fact they continue planting our seed each year, and pay more for it than



Peerless

they would have to pay seedsmen in their own locality, should be proof that our seed is worth more. A few days earlier maturity means considerable to both the Northern and the Southern market grower.

One ounce of seed for 25 hills; 4 pounds per acre.



Tom Watson

## Peerless, or Ice Cream

#### The Earliest Large Long Watermelon

Peerless is the earliest large long Watermelon. Our strain of this wonderful melon ripens about 10 days later than Pride of Yukon. For the Central and Northern States, we consider this the best general cropper for the home market; has too thin a rind for shipping unless packed in straw. Fruits larger than Halbert Honey or Kleckley's Sweet and 10 days earlier; rind light green, mettled and veined; flesh bright scarlet, solid to the center, tender, sweet, melting and delicious. Few, if any, surpass it for quality or productiveness. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 75c; 2 lbs., \$1.35; 5 lbs., \$3.20; 10 lbs., \$6.00, postpaid.



Pride of Yukon

#### Pride of Yukon

RIPE WATERMELONS IN 65 DAYS

Pride of Yukon is the earliest Watermelon known, and is wilt-resistant. It is unsurpassed for sweetness and quality; entirely free from stringiness and fairly melts in your mouth. Fruits are of attractive appearance; medium in size, seldom exceed 18 to 20 pounds in weight, averaging 10 to 15 pounds; flesh bright scarlet. Hardy, vigorous and remarkably productive. The

Hardy, vigorous and remarkably productive. The best for extra early planting, especially adapted to Northern localities where the season is short, but does well in all sections of the country and has created a sensation wherever grown. While it is not an extra good shipper, it is a wonderful melon for the home garden and a gold mine for the market gardener. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ½ lb., 40c; 1 lb., \$1.25; 2 lbs., \$2.25; 5 lbs., \$5.30; 10 lbs., \$10.00, postpaid.

COLE'S EARLY. The leading extra early Watermelon in nearly all parts of the country. Only 5 days later than Pride of Yukon; excellent quality; small in size, but what they lack in size they make up in number Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 75c; 2 lbs., \$1.35; 5 lbs., \$3.20; 10 lbs., \$6.00, postpaid.

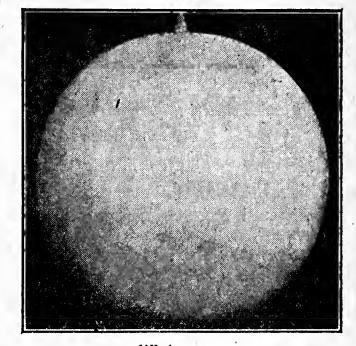
TOM WATSON. Tom Watson is the most popular of all Watermelons, occupying a very prominent place in all markets, and is everywhere called for. The flesh is superb in quality and of the brightest red color. The handsome, dark green rind is thin, but hard and tough, so is unsurpassed as a market and shipping sort. The melons are usually 20 to 24 inches in length and 10 to 12 inches through, averag-

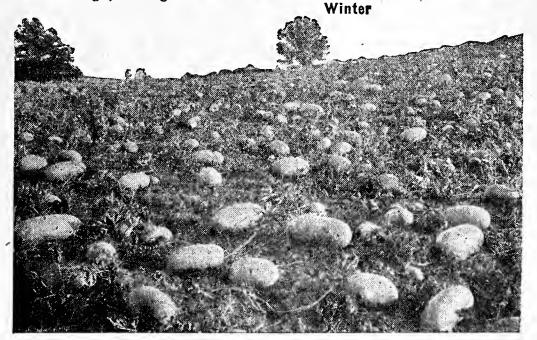
ing on good soil over 30 pounds each, and single specimens often weighing 50 to 60 pounds. A good yielder and a great money maker on all markets. Matures in 85 days. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 70c; 2 lbs., \$1.25; 5 lbs., \$3.00; 10 lbs., \$5.60, postpaid.

IRISH GRAY. A melon of uniformly large size, closely resembling Kleckley's Sweet, with the exception of the tough rind which is gray in color. Ripens earlier than Tom Watson and will keep in good condition for a long time. A wonderful variety for the home garden and for shipping; unusually sweet and of best quality. Will produce more good marketable melons than any other variety we know of. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 75c; 2 lbs., \$1.35; 5 lbs., \$3.20; 10 lbs., \$6.00, postpaid.



A home grown melon for your Thanksgiving dinner. It is not a citron or a freak, but a very prolific long-keeping true Watermelon. Flesh red, extremely firm, very brittle and deliciously sweet. Fruits taken from the field before killing frost and stored in a cool place will keep long into the late fall and early winter and retain their delicious sweetness and flavor. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25, postpaid.





A Field of Irish Gray



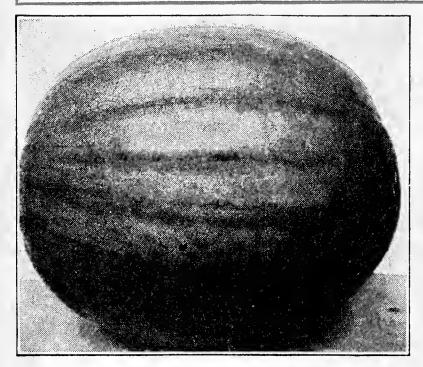
Pride of Muscatine

"I expect to do truck gardening again this year, and as I had such splendid results with your melon seed, I would like another one of your seed catalogs. People who live around here and several men who do extensive traveling say they never saw as nice a melon patch in their lives as the one I had this last year. Two of your Tom Watson melons, weighing 40 lbs. apiece, brought first prize here at the Adair County Fair."—William M. Hinds, Greenfield, Iowa, Jan. 8, 1933.

#### Wilt-Resistant Watermelon

Pride of Muscatine

In some of the leading melon growing districts it has, for the past few years, become almost impossible to grow Watermelons, due to melon wilt. Pride of Muscatine is a strain of Kleckley's Sweet that is absolutely resistant to wilt, and will grow and thrive on wilt sick soil, and produce an excellent crop where other varieties completely fail. In addition to this wilt-resistant feature, which is very desirable in some localities, it retains all the superb qualities of the old reliable Kleckley's Sweet or Monte Cristo. In fact, it is superior to that variety. The attractive, oblong melons are of large size, running from 40 to 60 pounds under good growing conditions. The rich, glossy, dark green rind is thicker than that of Kleckley's, making it a better shipper. The flesh is deep red, crisp, tender and deliciously sweet and melting. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 50c; lb., \$1.65; 2 lbs., \$2.95; 5 lbs., \$7.00; 10 lbs., \$13.20, postpaid.



Stone Mountain

#### Stone Mountain Watermelon

A very large, medium dark green, round melon of excellent quality. Flesh highly colored, very solid, with fewer seeds than most varieties. The fruits frequently attain a weight of 60 to 80 pounds. The rind is tough enough to stand handling for nearby markets but will not stand long distance shipping. We have found this somewhat earlier than other large varieties. It produces an abundant crop and can be grown successfully farther north than many of the large, long varieties. Pkt., 8c; oz., 12c; 1/4 lb., 35c; lb., \$1.15; 2 lbs., \$2.05; 5 lbs., \$4.90; 10 lbs., \$9.20, postpaid.

KLECKLEY'S SWEET or MONTE CRISTO. One of the most if not the most popular melon for the home garden and for nearby markets, because of its superb flavor and surpassing crispness. No melon sweeter than Kleckley's Sweet. Average length 18 to 20 inches; color very dark green; season medium early. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 70c; 2 lbs., \$1.25; 5 lbs., \$3.00; 10 lbs., \$5.60, postpaid.

HALBERT HONEY. Very similar to Kleckley's but preferred by many on account of it being more perfect in shape. Same length, but not so tapering toward the stem end. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 75c; 2 lbs., \$1.35; 5 lbs., \$3.20; 10 lbs., \$6.00, postpaid.

#### Mammoth Prize Watermelon

Mammoth Prize or Improved Triumph is the largest Watermelon grown. Many grow to from 100 to 150 lbs. On one vine, five melons were grown that weighed 152, 151, 14834, 149¼, and 147 lbs., the five weighing a total of 748 lbs. The seed we offer is extra select, and should produce fine, sweet, juicy melons of excellent quality and enormous size. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 55c; lb., **\$1.75**, postpaid.

#### Golden Honey

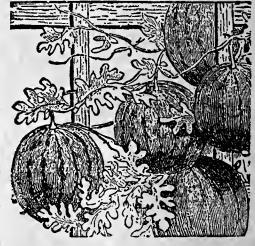
A Delicious Yellow-Fleshed Watermelon

Flesh of rich golden color, firm, crisp and glistening, sweet as honey, and fairly melts in your mouth. No hard core or stringiness. An early melon, average about 20 lbs. each, and very few seeds. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.20; 2 lbs., \$2.15; 5 lbs., \$5.10; 10 lbs., \$9.60; postpaid.

CITRON or PRESERVING MELON. Flesh white and solid. Used exclusively for making preserves and candied fruit. Pkt., 5c; 14 lb., 30c; lb., 90c, postpaid.

#### Coconut or Climbing Watermelon

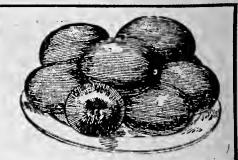
Melons about the size of large coconuts and of the highest quality. Fruit ripens for a long period, unlike other sorts which ripen their fruits m o s t l y at one time. The vine may be allowed to trail on the ground or may be trained and tied to trellis. An ideal melon for the small



garden. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; 1/4 lb., 70c; lb., \$2.00, postpaid.

In the West and Northwest, where fruit is scarce, the Vine Peach is becoming popular. It is easily cultivated, wonderfully prolific, and can be used in every way in which you would

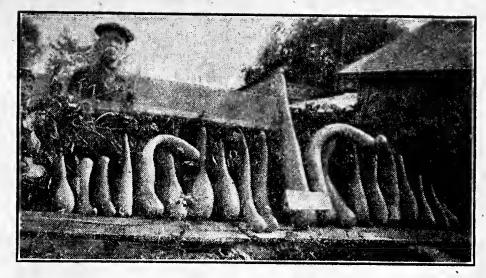
use a peach, except that it is not usually liked raw. The vine on which they are borne is somewhat similar to the muskmelon vine, and requires the same cultivation. The fruit is about the size of a large peach, and is of a bright orange yellow color, somewhat russety. A jar of these cut in halves and cooked in syrup presents a beautiful and tempting appearance. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c, postpaid.



#### New Guinea Butter Vine

#### ONE OF THE MOST DELICIOUS OF ALL VEGETABLES

The New Guinea Butter Vine is a wonderful vegetable. Grows to enormous size, one fruit often weighing 15 lbs., and from 3 to 5 feet long. In growth it is similar to the squash, and can be grown in the same manner or can be trellised up. It is more productive than squash and much easier to grow. The vines are always free from disease and insect pests, and stand more neglect and abuse than any other vegetable vine we know of. The fruits should be eaten when small, while the fuzzy growth is yet on. It can be cooked like Squash and fried like Egg Plant. When cut up in small pieces and cooked with cream or fried it is most delicious. If trellised up, the vines take up so little space, no garden is too small for at least two or three plants. Mrs. Sam J. Yoder, Apple Creek, Ohio, grew one New Guinea Butter Vine fruit which weighed 15 lbs. and was 4½ feet in length. Another customer writes that he cut 75 fruits from one vine, and that each fruit was from 2½ to 3 feet long. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 50c, postpaid.



New Guinea Butter Vine fruits grown from Burgess' seeds by Mr. George Price, Waubaushene, Ont., Canada

#### Easy Method of Growing Mushrooms



Mushrooms

A planter in Minnesota gives the following directions for growing Mushrooms in the lawn:

the lawn:

"Break up the brick of spawn into inch square pieces. Have ready some fresh horse manure, and place a trowel full under the sod at intervals about the lawn. Put a piece of spawn on the manure, and replace the sod. Dot his in early

spring. After the warm spring rains, the lawn will be full of mushrooms. If these directions are followed, the size of the crop will be dependent entirely upon the weather. It is important that the spawn be planted previous to the early warm rains, as Mushrooms cannot be grown in this manner during the summer."

#### . Mushroom Spawn

Each brick of our Pure Culture Mushroom Spawn contains about 40 cubic inches of spawn, and will plant 10 square feet of bed. Cultural directions free with each order for spawn. 60c per brick; 3 bricks, \$1.50, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, in quantities of six or more bricks, 30c per brick.

#### Mustard

One ounce of seed to 75 feet of row.

The large leaves of the two first named varieties make a most palatable and piquant type of greens and possess healthful tonic properties. Preferred by many to Spinach, but should be cut young, for when old the flavor is strong. Begin sowing seed as early in the spring as the weather permits and make successive sowings every two weeks.

southern GIANT CURLED. Leaves large, yellow-ish-green, much crumpled on the edges. The most extensively grown of any variety. Ready for table in about 35 days. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 65c; 2 lbs., \$1.15; 5 lbs., \$2.75; 10 lbs., \$5.20, postpaid.

FORDHOOK FANCY. Of vigorous growth; beautiful dark green leaves which curve outward like fine ostrich plumes. Shoots to seed more slowly than any other Mustard. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 70c; 2 lbs., \$1.25; 5 lbs., \$2.95; 10 lbs., \$5.60, postpaid.

#### Best Seeds He Ever Had

"Your seeds are the best I have ever had—95% came up."—Mr. Geo. O. Wilson, 435 Broadway, Orlando, Florida, March 7, 1933.

#### **BOTTOM ONION SETS**

One quart of sets for a 50 foot row; 10 to 12 bushels per acre.

Bottom Onion Sets are the product of seed and the little bulbs are planted for Green Onions, or to produce large Onions for early market. They produce Onions ready for the market or household use 4 to 6 weeks earlier than can be done by sowing seed. The planter is enabled thereby to get highest market prices for his early Onions grown from sets, also permitting the growing of another crop on the land the same year.

Plant every ten days, beginning as early in the spring as the ground can be worked, for a succession of Green Onions for the table. The sets we handle are well-ripened bulbs of small size and should not be confused with the cheap unreliable kinds so often offered for sale.

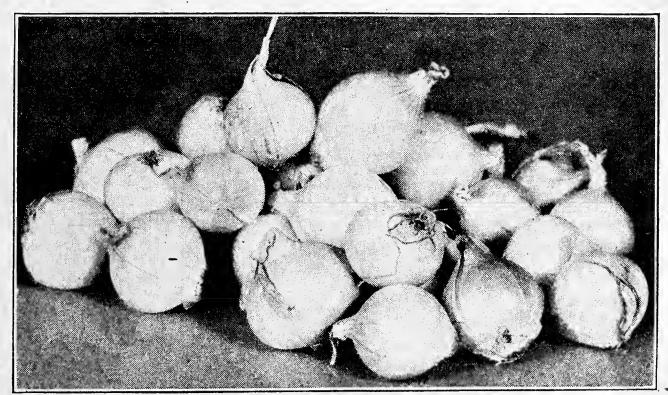
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YELLOW BOTTOM SETS (Genuine Ebenezer or Japanese). Make sweet and mild Green Onions and big sweet Onions that will keep all winter. Try them once and you will never use any other variety of yellow sets. Pint, 20c; quart, 35c; 4 qts., \$1.25, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, \$1.00 per peck; \$3.70 per bushel.

white Bottom SETS (Silverskin). Pint, 20c; quart, 35c; 4 qts., \$1.30, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, \$1.10 per peck; \$3.95 per bushel.

Prices of Onion Sets are subject to fluctuations of the market. The price per pint, quart, 4 quarts, peck and bushel will hold good throughout the season, or as long as our stock lasts. Write for prices on larger quantities.

32 lbs. of Onion Sets constitute a bushel.

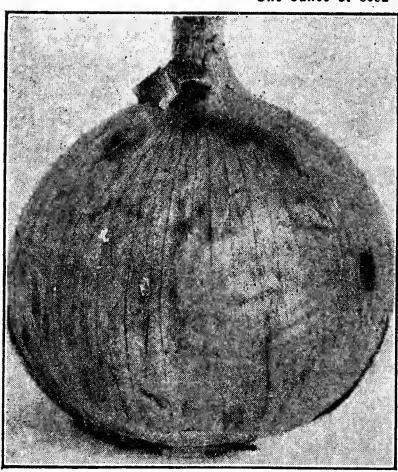


Ebenezer Yellow Bottom Onion Sets

## Burgess' Choice Onion Seed

Onions usually net the grower more money per acre than any other vegetable crop. If you are going to raise a crop that requires the labor and capital that Onions do, don't waste your time cultivating a field of culls. The difference in price, if any, between a good strain of carefully grown seed and a poor strain, carelessly grown, is so small that you can only afford to plant the very best. There are many inferior strains of Onion seed being offered to the public at low prices which will produce Onions of all sorts and sizes instead of the uniform, marketable crop obtained by planting a carefully selected strain of seed. Each year a large and steadily increasing number of market gardeners buy our Onion seed because they realize that none is superior.

One ounce of seed for 150 feet of row; 4 to 6 lbs. per acre.



Riverside Sweet Spanish

#### Frost-Proof Onion Plants

For Frost-Proof Onion Plants, see page 125.

# Riverside Sweet Spanish The Largest and Sweetest Onion Ever Grown

Our Riverside Sweet Spanish or Valencia Onion was first grown in Spain. A small supply of seed was secured and planted in this country, and we are now able to offer it to our customers. In general color and shape it resembles Prizetaker, but is a distinct type, and will average better than twice the size of Prizetaker. Although of gigantic size, it has a small top, is an extra good keeper, and if allowed to thoroughly dry, will stand shipping long distances. It is globe-shaped; the skin light yellow or straw color; the flesh pure white, of very fine grain, crisp, juicy and exceptionally mild and sweet. We are anxious that our customers give this wonderful onion a trial, for it is sure to give the very best of satisfaction. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 80c; lb., \$2.75; 2 lbs., \$4.95; 5 lbs., \$11.70; 10 lbs., \$23.20, postpaid. For prices of plants, see page 125.

MAMMOTH SILVER KING. The largest white Onion. An excellent early maturing flat, thick variety, often weighing 3 to 3½ lbs. each and averaging 5 to 7 inches in diameter. A good variety to grow for the fancy markets, and an ideal sort for the home garden. Unsurpassed for tenderness and very mild. Pkt., 8c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 70c; lb., \$2.25; 2 lbs., \$4.05; 5 lbs., \$9.55; 10 lbs., \$18.00, postpaid.

PRIZETAKER, or MAMMOTH SPANISH. The big yellow variety you see for sale in the fruit stores. It is an excellent keeper, a handsome Onion of perfect globe shape and enormous in size, many single Onions having been raised to weigh more than five pounds. The flavor is very pleasant, mild and sweet. Plant the seed early and you can easily grow these large, sweet, mild, juicy Onions. We have an extra select strain of this variety. Be sure to get the genuine. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c; ½ lb., 60c; lb., \$2.00; 2 lbs., \$3.60; 5 lbs., \$8.50; 10 lbs., \$16.00, postpaid. For prices of frost-proof plants, see page 125.

SOUTHPORT RED GLOBE. The best round red Onion. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c; lb., \$2.00; 2 lbs., \$3.60; 5 lbs., \$8.50; 10 lbs., \$16.00, postpaid.

SOUTHPORT WHITE GLOBE. Extra select; the best round white Onion. Always brings a fancy price on the market. Pkt., 8c; oz., 25c; ½ lb., 75c; lb., \$2.40; 2 lbs., \$4.30; 5 lbs., \$10.20; 10 lbs., \$19.20, postpaid.

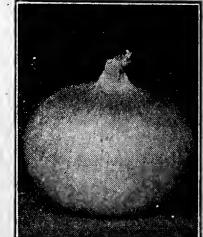
SOUTHPORT YELLOW GLOBE. The favorite round yellow Onion with the big Onion growers. Attractive in appearance and an immense cropper. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c; ½ lb., 60c; lb., \$1.85; 2 lbs., \$3.30; 5 lbs., \$7.85; 10 lbs., \$14.80, postpaid.

WHITE PORTUGAL or SILVERSKIN. The standard flat white Onion; bulbs grow to good size; mild and of fine flavor. Grown extensively for winter use and for sets and pickling Onions. For

sets or pickling size, sow 1 lb. of seed to each 100 feet of drill. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c; ½ lb., \$2.10; 2 lbs., \$3.80; 5 lbs., \$8.90; 10 lbs., \$16.80, postpaid.

CRYSTAL WAX BERMUDA. The most attractive onion in the world. Absolutely pure white. Many car loads of these flat white onions are grown annually in Texas and shipped North for early Spring use. Also does well in the North. One of the earliest Onions grown, and the earliest of the Bermuda type; very sweet and mild. Pkt., 10c; 6Z., 30c; ¼ lb., 95c; lb., \$3.25; 2 lbs., \$5.85; 5 lbs., \$13.80; 10 lbs., \$26.00, postpaid. For prices of frost-proof plants, see page 125.

LARGE RED WETHERSFIELD. The standard main-crop flat red variety. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c; ½ lb., 60c; lb., \$2.00; 2 lbs., \$3.60; 5 lbs., \$8.50; 10 lbs., \$16.00, postpaid.



White Portugal

Ebenezer or Japanese

#### EBENEZER or JAPANESE

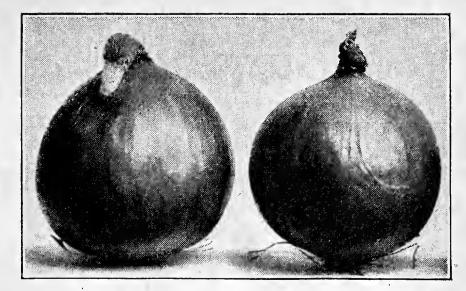
The Extra Early, Long Keeping, Mild Onion

One of the mildest flavored Onions grown. The flesh is white, firm and of a very delicate flavor. The Onions are quite similar to Yellow Globe Danvers in shape but much larger in size, yellow skinned and have very small tops and mature early. Many people who know this Onion will have no other kind for their own table. In the localities where it has been grown, the Onions of this variety command much higher prices than other kinds. Those who want a nice mild Onion, either for large Onions or bottom sets, would do well to try the Ebenezer. Sets are grown the same as large Onions, except that the seed is sown thickly-one pound of seed to each 100 feet of drill. These sets, if planted early in the spring, will produce ripe Onions in July, at which time they will bring a high price. Sets of this variety rarely produce seed stalks as other kinds do. The Ebenezer is such a good keeper that even those ripening in July will keep sound and hard through the fall and all winter. Don't fail to plant some Ebenezer Onion seed this season, sowing some for large Onions and some for sets. For price of genuine Ebenezer sets, see page 25. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c; lb., \$2.00; 2 lbs., \$3.60; 5 lbs., \$8.50; 10 lbs., \$16.00, postpaid.

#### Mountain Danvers Onion

### The Earliest Yellow Globe Onion and the Best Keeping Variety

Mountain Danvers is the earliest maturing strain of Yellow Globe Onion, ripening two to three weeks earlier than Yellow Globe Danvers. It is semi-round, of deep yellow color, very hard and solid, without any thick neck, and ripens practically all the crop at once. These onions have remarkable keeping qualities; can be kept all winter in common storage, and show less shrinkage than any other variety. They do not get quite as large as the Yellow Globe Danvers, but are of good size, and are often found more profitable than the later kinds because they can be marketed before other kinds are ready. This seed is grown for us on contract, in the mountains of Colorado, in altitudes which are particularly adapted to producing Onions of extreme earliness and hardiness. It is a wonderful Yellow Onion for sections where the season is short or wherever an early maturing variety is wanted. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 60c; lb., \$2.00; 2 lbs., \$3.60; 5 lbs., \$8.50; 10 lbs., **\$16.00**, postpaid.



Mountain Danvers Onion

YELLOW GLOBE DANVERS. The most popular yellow Onion. Not quite as large or as globe shaped as Southport. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c; ½ lb., 55c; lb., \$1.75; 2 lbs., \$3.15; 5 lbs., \$7.45; 10 lbs., \$14.00, postpaid.

#### Michigan Yellow Globe, or Ohio Yellow Globe

The heaviest yield of onions is always obtained from rich, black lands. On such soils it is found that a globe shaped onion with a somewhat flattened base gives the largest returns, and to meet the demands of the professional onion growers located on such lands, this variety has been developed. The bulbs are large, uniformly globe shaped, with small neck; shoulder usually

slightly sloping, base often distinctly flattened, the largest diameter below the center of the bulb. The color is rich yellow with tinge of orange. The flesh is creamy white, mild and of very fine quality. This main crop sort ripens down evenly, keeps very well and is excellent for shipping. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c; ½ lb., 60c; lb., \$2.00; 2 lbs., \$3.60; 5 lbs., \$8.50; 10 lbs., \$16.00, postpaid.

#### Burgess' Muck Strain Yellow Globe

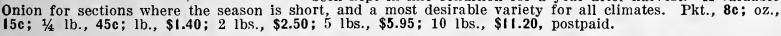
A large, round Onion, especially adapted to muck soils. Rich yellow color; very attractive when placed on the market. Exceedingly productive; finest quality. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 65c; lb., \$2.10; 2 lbs., \$3.80; 5 lbs., \$8.90; 10 lbs., \$16.80, postpaid.

BURGESS' UPLAND YELLOW GLOBE. Not quite as large as our Muck Strain; nearly round; of attractive yellow color. Will not do as well on muck or low land as our Muck Strain. Especially adapted to the well drained clay and sandy soils. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c; ½ lb., 60c; lb., \$2.00; 2 lbs., \$3.60; 5 lbs., \$8.50; 10 lbs., \$16.00, postpaid.



As the Australian Brown becomes better known its popularity increases. It is now much in demand in both the Eastern and Western markets, and we have no hesitancy in saying that we believe in a comparatively short time it will be one of the most popular of all market onions. It is of semi-globe shape, brownish-yellow in color, solid, white flesh and very mild and sweet. The Onions grow to a fair size and ripen evenly and without a neck. They begin to form a bulb very quickly and reach maturity in a remarkably short time: It is a good yielder and a

maturity in a remarkably short time. It is a good yielder and a sure cropper and is noted for its long keeping qualities, having been kept in fine condition for a year after harvest. A valuable and a most desirable variety for all elimates. Plat 22.



#### Earliest White Queen, or White Pearl

This is the earliest ripening Onion in cultivation, growing with a rapidity of a summer radish. Nine weeks from sowing to maturity. The bulbs are pearly white, waxy, translucent, and are generally very small, averaging only 1½ inches in diameter, and are uniform in size

and shape. So mild and sweet that it can be eaten raw with almost the freedom of an apple. Chiefly grown for pickling and bunching; the best of all for small pickles. Pkt., 8c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 70c; lb., \$2.25; 2 lbs., \$4.05; 5 lbs., \$9.55; 10 lbs., \$18.00, postpaid.

Michigan Yellow Globe

EARLY WHITE WELSH (Perennial). The first variety to be ready for green onions in the Spring. It is a perennial, forms no bulbs, is perfectly hardy, and when once set will remain in the ground year after year. It does not produce top sets, but is propagated from seed or divisions. It is very mild and of excellent quality. Market gardeners find it extremely profitable, as it makes a most attractive bunch and sells at good prices before onions grown from sets are ready for the market. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 75c; lb., \$2.50; 2 lbs., \$4.50; 5 lbs., \$10.60, postpaid.

#### Japanese Long Bunching Onion

A perennial Onion from Japan which is sure to meet with popular favor for young green onions. It forms no bulb, but produces a long white tender root as shown in the illustration. Owing to quality and fine appearance, it makes an attractive bunch that sells at an advanced price over other varieties. Our Japanese grower informs us that in Japan this Onion is often blanched 24 inches. A money maker for market gardeners. Pkt., 10c; oz., 30c; ¼ lb., \$1.00; lb., \$3.50; 2 lbs., \$6.30; 5 lbs., \$14.85, postpaid.



Early White Welsh

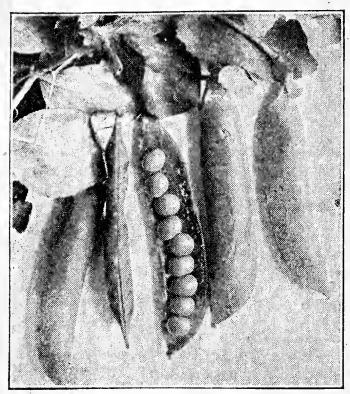


Japanese Long

# Burgess' Northern Grown Peas

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One pound of seed for 50 feet of row; 120 to 180 lbs. per acre.



Laxton's Progress

ALASKA, or EARLIEST OF ALL. Our strain of this variety is the earliest Pea grown. Exceedingly productive, can be planted as soon as ground thaws out in the spring. Height, 2 feet. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 65c; 5 lbs., \$1.40; 10 lbs., \$2.70, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.40; 25 lbs., \$3.75; 100 lbs., \$14.00.

ALDERMAN. An excellent mid-season or main crop variety. Height, 4 feet; pods 434 inches in length and contain 8 or 9 very large peas. Sweet and tasty. Pkt., 10c; 1/2 lb., 20c; lb., 38c; 2 lbs., 70c; 5 lbs., \$1.55; 10 lbs., \$3.00, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.85; 25 lbs., \$4.50; 100 lbs., \$17.00.

AMERICAN WONDER. One of the finest early Peas; exceedingly dwarf, only 10 to 12 inches tall, and a few days later than Alaska. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 22c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 75c; 5 lbs., \$1.60; 10 lbs., \$3.10, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$3.00; 25 lbs., \$4.75; 100 lbs., \$18.00.

champion of England. A late variety. Valuable to prolong the season. Very productive and universally admitted to be one of the richest and best flavored of the late Peas. Height, 4 to 5 feet; Peas of large size and 6 to 9 in the pod. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 38c; 2 lbs., 70c; 5 lbs., \$1.55; 10 lbs., \$3.00, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.85; 25 lbs., \$4.50; 100 lbs., \$17.00.

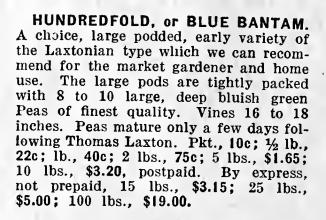
DWARF TELEPHONE, or CARTER'S DAISY. A dwarf growing strain of the popular Telephone; about a week earlier. Large dark green pods, 4½ inches long, containing 8 to 9 large, dark green peas of extra fine quality and sweet flavor. Vines 20 inches. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 38c; 2 lbs., 70c; 5 lbs., \$1.55; 10 lbs., \$3.00, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.85; 25 lbs., \$4.50; 100 lbs., \$17.00.

GRADUS, or Prosperity. A popular variety with market growers who demand both earliness and quality. Vines 2½ feet tall and bear an enormous crop. Pods 3¾ to 4 inches in length, containing 6 to 8 large sweet peas. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 22c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 75c; 5 lbs., \$1.65; 10 lbs., \$3.20, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$3.15; 25 lbs., \$5.00; 100 lbs., \$19.00.

## Quite-Content The Largest-Podded Pea in

Existence
The vines attain a height

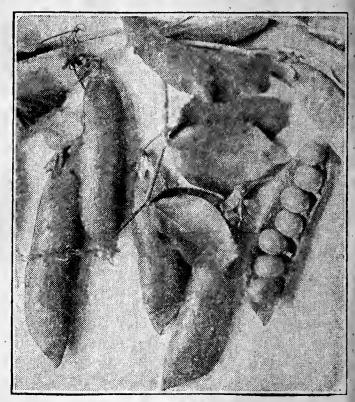
of 51/2 to 6 feet and are practically covered with handsome pods that are gigantic in size, measuring 5 to 7 inches in length and containing 9 to 12 large, wrinkled peas of the finest table quality. Superb quality and great productiveness make this a most desirable main crop and late variety for both the market and the home garden. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 45c; 2 lbs., 80c; 5 lbs., \$1.90; 10 lbs., \$3.65, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$3.90; 25 lbs., \$6.25; 100 lbs., \$24.00.



#### **Inoculate Your Peas**

Inoculation of seed hastens maturity, increases the yield and enriches the soil. Inoculation for Peas only, half bushel size, 40c; bushel size, 60c; 5 bushel, \$2.50. Inoculation good for Beans only at these same prices. Garden size, sufficient for 8 lbs. of seed, and good for Beans, Peas and Sweet Peas, 25c.

IMPROVED STRATAGEM, or POT-LATCH. The best semi-dwarf main crop variety. Height, 2 feet; very robust; requires no support. Very productive and pods borne in clusters near top of vine. Pods large and packed with immense peas of delicious sweetness. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 38c; 2 lbs., 70c; 5 lbs., \$1.55; 10 lbs., \$3.00, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.85; 25 lbs., \$4.50; 100 lbs., \$17.00.



Little Marvel

LAXTONIAN. This is an early large podded variety with a dwarf vine, and is growing more in favor every year. Vines about 18 inches high, with dark green pods about 4 inches long; pods well filled with large peas of the very best quality. Comes in bearing at the same time as Hundredfold, which it resembles very much. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 22c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 75c; 5 lbs., \$1.65; 10 lbs., \$3.20, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$3.15; 25 lbs., \$5.00; 100 lbs., \$19.00.

LAXTON'S PROGRESS. An improved type of Laxtonian; bears a day or two earlier than the ordinary strain of Laxtonian. Vines 18 inches. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 22c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 75c; 5 lbs., \$1.65; 10 lbs., \$3.20, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$3.15; 25 lbs., \$5.00; 100 lbs., \$19.00.

LITTLE MARVEL. The earliest wrinkled Pea, and the most productive extraearly wrinkled variety. Vines grow 15 inches high and are heavily set with well-filled pods. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 22c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 75c; 5 lbs., \$1.65; 10 lbs., \$3.20, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$3.15; 25 lbs., \$5.00; 100 lbs., \$19.00.

NOTT'S EXCELSIOR. Of compact growth; 12 inches tall. Same season as American Wonder. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 22c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 75c; 5 lbs., \$1.60; 10 lbs., \$3.10, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$3.00; 25 lbs., \$4.75; 100 lbs., \$18.00.

#### Get Rid of Moles

It is claimed that moles will not stay where Castor Oil Beans are growing. While we cannot vouch for the accuracy of this statement, we have tried it with very encouraging results. We grew Castor Beans throughout one of our trial gardens, planting them about 15 feet apart each way. This was a garden that is usually badly infested with moles. The result was that not a sign of a mole was seen in the garden during the entire season. One of our customers informs us that she drops the beans in the mole runways in her lawn. As fast as the Castor Oil plants comé up the tops are cut off by the lawn mower, so that the appearance of the lawn is in no way changed. The roots growing in the ground seem to be sufficient to keep the moles away. The Castor Bean seed we offer is a mixture of the most ornamental varieties, which would be very attractive in either flower or vegetable garden. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 75c; lb., \$2.50, postpaid.

## Burgess' Drought-Proof Pea

#### Laughs at Drought, Smiles at Rain

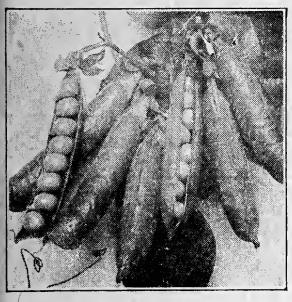
Burgess' Drought-Proof will do well under a wider range of weather and soil conditions than any other variety. It will grow a crop during the driest, hottest summer months, at a time any other variety would be a failure. In the hot, dry localities of the West this variety will grow a large crop without irrigation and without a single drop of rain falling upon it from seed time to harvest. For mid-summer or late summer planting this is the variety to plant. If it rains and the soil is kept moist this variety will produce as large a crop as any variety we know of; if it doesn't rain, and it gets hot and dry, you will get a crop anyway. The handsome round pods are well filled with from 7 to 10 peas in a pod; quality excellent, sweet and tender, even when the peas are large. Vines grow 2 feet high, and require no support. This is the pea that will do its best in the North, South, East or West. Don't fail to give it a trial. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 45c; 2 lbs., 80c; 5 lbs., \$1.90; 10 lbs., \$3.65, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$3.90; 25 lbs., \$6.25; 100 lbs., \$24.00.

TELEPHONE A leading mid-season variety and very popular with market gardeners whose trade appreciates fine appearance and high of excellent flavor. Height 3½ to 4 feet. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 38c; 2 lbs., 70c; 5 lbs., \$1.55; 10 lbs., \$3.00, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.85; 25 lbs., \$4.50; 100 lbs., \$17.00.

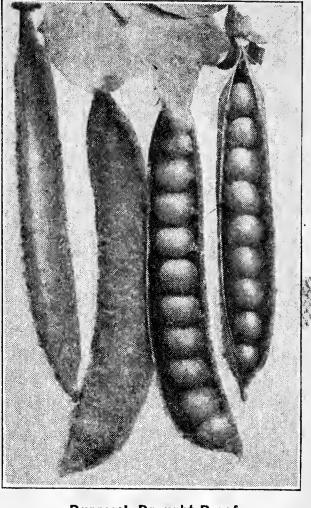
THOMAS LAXTON. Only a few days later than American Wonder and Premium Gem, but pods and peas much larger. Unsurpassed for quality; very productive, vines 2½ feet. Similar to Gradus, and even better. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 22c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 75c; 5 lbs., \$1.60; 10 lbs., \$3.10, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$3.00; 25 lbs., \$4.75; 100 lbs., \$18.00.

WORLD'S RECORD. Claimed by some to be earlier than Gradus, and an improvement over that variety. Our trials show very little if any difference. A wonderfully profitable variety for market growers. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 22c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 75c; 5 lbs., \$1.65; 10 lbs., \$3.20, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$3.15; 25 lbs., \$5.00; 100 lbs., \$19.00.

LIMA PEA, or FROST PROOF BEAN. It belongs to the English Broad Bean family, but we list it among the Peas as well as the Beans, as the flavor is much more like peas than beans. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 30c; lb., 50c; 2 lbs., 90c; 5 lbs., \$2.00, postpaid.



**Thomas Laxton** 



Burgess' Drought-Proof

#### Edible Podded or Salad Pea Cook Like Snap Beans

DWARF GRAY SUGAR is the best edible-podded Pea. Cook pods and all like snap beans. Pods much smaller than some of the other edible-podded sorts, but are of considerable better quality and very productive. Very early, being ready for use about the same time as Little Marvel. Height 15 inches. Be sure to plant some of this variety; you will like them. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 38c; 2 lbs., 70c; 5 lbs., \$1.50; 10 lbs., \$2.85, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.70; 25 lbs., \$4.25; 100 lbs., \$16.00.

## Large White Marrowfat or Baking Pea

This is an old variety which many people prefer to varieties that are sweeter. Used extensively for green peas, and the dried peas make a most palatable dish when prepared the same as baked beans. If you have never tried baking dried Marrowfat Peas, plant some of this variety this year and give them a trial. You will be delighted with them. This variety is also used for sowing with oats for feeding stock. It is of strong growing habits, vines about 4½ feet high, and bear prolifically. Pods 3 inches long, containing 5 to 6 large white Peas. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 65c; 5 lbs., \$1.40; 10 lbs., \$2.70, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$2.40; 25 lbs., \$3.75; 100 lbs., \$14.00.

#### Shell One Pound of Peas in 4 Minutes

#### Simply Turn the Handle

Save Your Hands and Finger Nails. Shelling peas by hand is one of the housewife's most bothersome, time-taking and annoying duties. In addition, it injures the fingers and stains the nails.

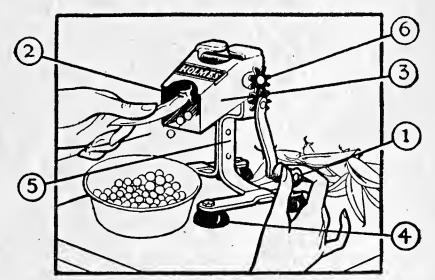
Now all that is eliminated with the Holmes Pea Sheller. Simply turn the handle and insert the pods between rubber rollers, vine end first. The pods are popped open, forcing the peas out. The hood of the sheller pours them undamaged into a pan placed below. The empty pods continue on through the roller into a pile at the back of the Sheller.

It is just as easy as it sounds.

The Holmes Sheller is easily cleaned—just rinse off under the hot water faucet. Finished in a pea-green lacquer.

It is simple and sturdily made. Nothing to get out of order. No clamps or screws. Rubber suction cups hold it firmly in place on practically any smooth surface. Compact and convenient. Height less than 6 inches. Kitchen sink is usually considered the ideal place for using this Sheller.

\$1.50 each, postpaid.



NO CLAMPS, NO SCREWS

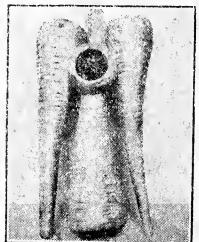
- 1. Keep handle turning.
- 2. Insert pods, vine end first
- 3. Hood to guide peas
- into dish. 4. Four vacuum cups to hold
- 5. Metal have lacquer finish.
- sheller steady 6. Oil bearings often. -no clamps,
- 7. Rubber rollers no screws. Approved by Good Housekeeping Institute



Improved Early Spanish

#### Northern Grown Peanuts

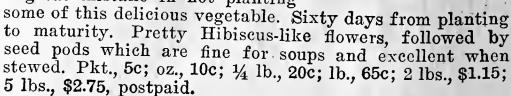
Just as good Peanuts can be grown in the Northern States as in the South, provided you plant Improved Early Spanish. This is the earliest variety grown, and very productive. The pods are small, but remarkably solid and well filled with nuts of the very finest quality. Shell nuts carefully so as not to break inside skin, and plant as soon as ground becomes warm, about 2 inches deep, in rows 3 feet apart, and from 8 to 10 inches apart in the row. Pkt., 10c; pt., 25c; qt., 40c; 3 qts., \$1.10; 6 qts., \$2.00, postpaid.



I. H. C. Parsnip

## Okra, or Gumbo One ounce of seed to 100 feet of row.

IMPROVED WHITE VELVET. The best variety. Popular in the South. Northern gardeners make a great mistake in not planting

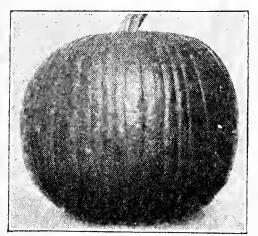




Imp. White Velvet Okra

#### **Parsnips**

One ounce to 150 feet of row; 4 to 6 lbs. per acre. IMPROVED HOLLOW CROWN. The best variety. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 25c; lb., 70c; 2 lbs., \$1.25; 5 lbs., \$2.95, postpaid.



Small Sugar Pumpkin

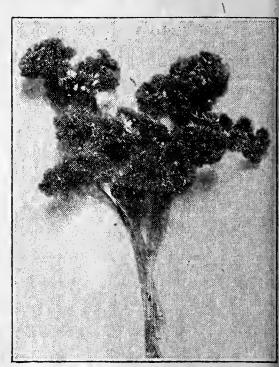
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## Parsley

ONE OUNCE TO 100 FEET

CHAMPION MOSS CURLED. Finest and most handsome variety. Pkt., 5c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c; lb., 85c, postpaid.

TURNIP ROOTED. The edible portion of this variety is the fleshy root, which resembles a small parsnip. Excellent for flavoring soups, stews, etc. Pkt., 8c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c; lb., 95c, postpaid.



Champion Moss Curled Parsley

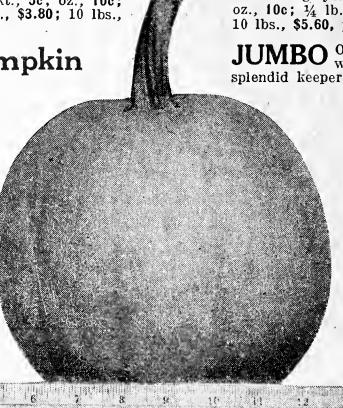
## PUMPKINS

ONE OUNCE FOR 20 HILLS; 3 TO 4 POUNDS PER ACRE

SMALL SUGAR. The most popular pie pumpkin. Looks like a Field Pumpkin, but is smaller and of much better quality. Flesh sweet and tender; the earliest Pumpkin, matures in 65 days; excellent keeper. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 14 lb., 30c; lb., 90c; 2 lbs., \$1.60; 5 lbs., \$3.80; 10 lbs., \$7.20 postpoid. \$7.20, postpaid.

Sweet Potato Pumpkin

TENNESSEE SWEET PO. TATO is an excellent sort which, when cooked, resembles a sweet potato in flavor, but is of more delicious taste. It is pear-shaped and slightly ribbed. The color is creamy white, sometimes striped with green. Flesh is fine grained and very dry. Fine when cooked like sweet potatoes and nothing superior for making pies and custards. Matures in 95 days, is hardy and productive, and keeps perfectly sound until late in the spring. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 35c; lb., \$1.15; 2 lbs., \$2.05; 5 lbs., \$4.90; 10 lbs., \$9.20 postpaid \$9.20, postpaid.



field Pumpkin. Smooth, hard, reddish-orange skin, with rich orange-yellow flesh. Wonderfully prolific. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 25c; lb., 70c; 2 lbs., \$1.25; 5 lbs., \$2.95; 10 lbs., \$5.60, postpaid. JUMBO Often weigh 100 to 300 lbs. Always a prize winner at exhibitions. A good pie Pumpkin,

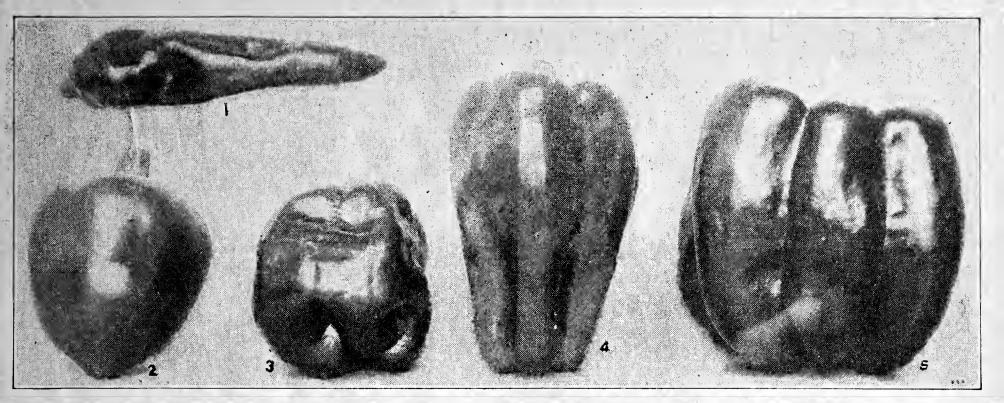
BIG TOM, or IMPROVED LARGE FIELD. Leading corn

splendid keeper, and valuable for feeding purposes. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., \$1.65; 2 lbs., \$2.95; 5 lbs., \$7.00; 10 lbs., \$13.20, postpaid.

> KENTUCKY FIELD, or SWEET CHEESE. About 2 feet in diameter, round, flattened, hard and productive. Fine for market and family use, and excellent for stock feed. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ 1b., 20c; lb., 55c; 2 lbs., \$1.00; 5 lbs., \$2.35; 10 lbs., \$4.40, postpaid.

> WINTER LUXURY. The best pie Pumpkin. Its winter-keeping qualities are almost unequaled. Slightly oval in shape and of medium size. Evenly and finely netted and is a yellowish russet color. Flesh deep and golden color; sweet and cooks quickly. A great producer. Pkt., 5c; oz., 12c; ½ lb., 35c; lb., \$1.10; 2 lbs., \$2.00; 5 lbs., \$4.70; lbs., \$8.80, postpaid.

Winter Luxury Pumpkin



1-Tobasco. 2-Pimento. 3-Harris' Earliest. 4-Neapolitan. 5-Chinese Giant.

#### Burgess' Peppers

Many people have the mistaken idea that it is difficult to grow Peppers, while in fact they are easily grown. Everyone with a garden should plant Peppers. They are excellent to have on hand for salads, pickles and mangoes, and for seasoning meats and vegetable dishes.

One ounce of Pepper seed will produce 1,500 plants.

HARRIS' EARLIEST. The earliest and most prolific sweet Pepper, producing ripe (red) Peppers the first part of August in the Northern States, and plenty of green Peppers long before that date. Peppers 3½ to 4 inches in length by 2½ to 3 inches in diameter and often as many as 20 on a single plant. Very mild and sweet. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 45c; ¼ lb., \$1.50; lb. \$5.00 postpoid

lb., \$5.00, postpaid.

HARRIS EARLY GIANT. Only 2 weeks later than Harris'
Earliest and 2 weeks earlier than Chinese Giant. The plants are very vigorous, growing 1½ to 2 feet high and actually loaded down with giant fruits. Thirty fruits will fill a 5%-bushel basket; thick fleshed, sweet and pleasant flavor. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c;

oz., 35c; ¼ lb., \$1.20; lb., \$4.00, postpaid.

CHINESE GIANT. Largest Pepper grown; magnificent appearance; thick flesh; superior flavor, very mild. Four to five inches broad and are of equal length. Plants well branched and thickly set with enormous fruits. Only a few days later than Ruby King. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 45c; ¼ lb., \$1.50; lb., \$5.25,

NEAPOLITAN. The earliest and most productive of the large, mild peppers. A single plant often yields 30 to 40 large fleshy peppers of the very best quality. Pkt., IOc; oz., 30c; ¼ lb., \$1.00; lb., \$3.50, postpaid.

BULL NOSE, or IMPROVED LARGE BELL. Ripens crop uni-

formly and quite early. Fruits of medium size; bright scarlet; flesh thick; quite mild excepting in the cell partitions which are not entirely free from pungency. Popular for salads and pickling. Pkt., 10c; oz., 30c; ¼ lb., 90c; lb., \$3.00, postpaid. WORLDBEATER. A very productive sweet Pepper of huge size that matures early. Glossy rich scarlet skin and thick mild flesh. 5 inches long and 3½ inches in diameter; just

the right size and shape for stuffing. Pkt., 10c; oz., 35c; ¼ lb., \$1.20; lb., \$4.00, postpaid.

RUBY KING. The standard Sweet Pepper for home and market. Red Peppers about a month later than Harris' Earliest. Pkt., 10c; oz., 30c; ¼ lb., 90c; lb., \$3.00, postpaid.

PIMENTO. The great thick-meated canning Pepper. Sweet as an apple. Only 8 or 10 days later than Ruby King. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 80c; lb., \$2.75, postpaid.

#### CALIFORNIA WONDER

A new Pepper of exceptional merit. It is nearly as large as Chinese Giant, has much thicker flesh, and matures earlier. Its walls are exceptionally thick, heavier and firmer than any other sort, and the flesh is deliciously sweet and spicy, with no bite to sort, and the nesh is deliciously sweet and spicy, with no bite to it. The fruits will average about 4 inches in diameter and  $4\frac{1}{2}$  inches in length. They weigh about 9 ounces each, which is much heavier than other Peppers of the same size, because of their thick, meaty walls. The skin is smooth and glossy, deep green, turning to crimson. Very prolific. Will stand shipping long distances without wilting. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 45c; \frac{1}{4} lb., \\$1.40; lb., \\$4.75, postpaid.

GOLDEN QUEEN. Largest, best and most handsome yellow Pepper; mild and sweet. Same season as Ruby King. Excellent home garden variety. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 45c; \frac{1}{4} lb..

home garden variety. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 45c; 1/4 lb.,

\$1.50; lb., \$5.00, postpaid.

LONG RED CAYENNE. The leading hot Pepper. Pkt., 10c; oz., 30c; ¼ lb., 90c; lb., \$3.00, postpaid.

TABASCO. Used exclusively for the famous Tabasco Sauce. Extremely hot. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 45c; ¼ lb., \$1.50; lb., \$5.00, postpaid.

BIRD'S EYE. Sold by florists about Christmas time. Peppers are also adible: none better for papersauce.

pers are also edible; none better for pepper-sauce. Planted in garden will supply an abundance of finest quality hot Peppers, and plants can be taken up in the fall and potted for house culture. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 60c, postpaid.

# WINTER RHUBARB

\$100.00 to \$200.00 Worth can be Grown in an Ordinary Cellar During the Coldest Winter Weather



Early Giant Rhubarb

You can have Rhubarb any time in the winter and market same at high prices. The profit in growing Rhubarb is enormous, and the culture for open field, or as a forcing crop for winter, is very simple. Plant Early Giant Rhubarb roots in the spring; cultivate well to secure large clumps of roots by fall. In the late fall take up the large clumps and allow them to freeze for a few days; then set them in barrels or boxes and put them in a cellar or any place where the temperature can be kept from 50 to 70 degrees. Keep the soil moist—not wet—and in 4 or 5 weeks you will have Rhubarb large enough to sell on the market. You can get about three cuttings during the winter, when prices are high.

If grown in the open field, Rhubarb is the first

vegetable from the ground in the spring and the easiest of all perennial plants to grow. A half dozen plants will supply a large family.

Roots, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 6 for 85c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, \$4.00 per 50; \$7.50 per 100.

Rhubarb roots cannot be shipped to California.

#### Early Giant Rhubarb Seed

One ounce to 100 feet of row.

We recommend the planting of Rhubarb roots instead of seed, but if seed is wanted, we can supply it at 10c per packet; 20c per oz.; 60c per 1/4 lb., or \$2.00 per lb., postpaid.

## SAXA RADISH

#### The Earliest Radish Grown

We have found this new Radish to be earlier than any of the other so-called earliest sorts. The best extra early variety for forcing, and for growing in the open ground it has no superior. From the time of seed sowing to the table in 16 to 18 days, and under ideal conditions are fit to pull in 15 days. It is round, bright scarlet in color and has a very small top and taproot. Flesh pure white, crisp, brittle, mild and juicy. The Saxa is one of the slowest to shoot to seed. Pkt., 8c; oz., 12c; 1/4 lb., 30c; lb., \$1.00; 2 lbs., \$1.80; 5 lbs., \$4.25; 10 lbs., **\$8.00**, postpaid.



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#### Other Varieties of Radish

One ounce of seed for 100 feet of row.

CRIMSON GIANT. One of the finest Radishes grown. Suitable for forcing or early planting out of doors. Larger than the other round red varieties. Roots free from hollow center or pithy fibre. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 25c; lb., 75c; 2 lbs., \$1.35; 5 lbs., \$3.15; 10 lbs., \$6.00, postpaid.

EARLY BIRD. Agreed upon by leading market growers as the most profitable variety. Because of quick maturity, rich scarlet color, perfect shape and superior quality, Early Bird gets customers and keeps them. In shape Early Bird is a slightly elongated globe; always crisp, juicy and mild; fit to pull in 16 to 20 days. Pkt., 8c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c; lb., \$1.00; 2 lbs., \$1.80; 5 lbs., \$4.25; 10 lbs., \$8.00, postpaid.

EARLY SCARLET GLOBE. A popular early round sort; adapted for forcing or outdoor planting. Color rich scar-let. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 75c; 2 lbs., \$1.35; 5 lbs., \$3.15; 10 lbs., \$6.00, postpaid. EARLY SCARLET TURNIP. Early round red Radish;

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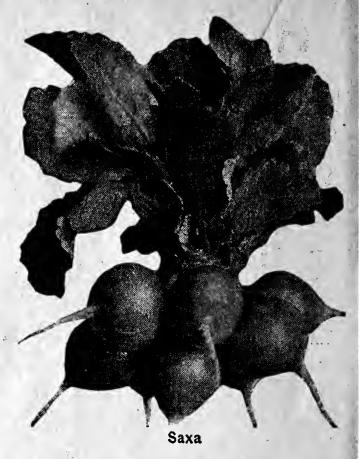
ing. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 75c; 2 lbs., \$1.35; 5 lbs., \$3.15; 10 lbs., \$6.00, postpaid.

EARLY WHITE TURNIP. The earliest white Radish; always mild and crisp. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 75c; 2 lbs., \$1.35; 5 lbs., \$3.15; 10 lbs., \$6.00, postpaid.

EARLY LONG SCARLET SHORT TOP. The best long red Radish. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 75c; 2 lbs., \$1.35; 5 lbs., \$3.15; 10 lbs., \$6.00, postpaid.

FRENCH BREAKFAST. Olive shaped; red, white tipped. Of quick growth and excellent quality. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 75c; 2 lbs., \$1.35; 5 lbs., \$3.15; 10 lbs., \$6.00, postpaid.

ICICLE. The best long white Radish; mild and sweet. A favorite with market gardeners and for the home garden. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 80c; 2 lbs., \$1.45; 5 lbs., \$3.40; 10 lbs., \$6.40, postpaid.



SPARKLER, or WHITE TIPPED SCARLET TURNIP. A favorite in all markets, owing to its fine appearance. Handsome bright scarlet color with white tip. One of the best early varieties for outdoor sowing; excellent quality. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 75c; 2 lbs., \$1.35; 5 lbs., \$3.15; 10 lbs., \$6.00, postpaid.

LONG WHITE STRASSBURG. The best summer

Radish, withstanding hot weather the best of any sort. Pure white; firm and brittle. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 75c; 2 lbs., \$1.35; 5 lbs., \$3.15; 10 lbs., \$6.00. postpaid.

LONG BLACK SPANISH. Keeps best and longest of all winter Radishes. Skin coal-black; flesh white and crisp;

excellent quality. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 80c; 2 lbs., \$1.45; 5 lbs., \$3.40; 10 lbs., \$6.40, postpaid. SCARLET CHINA. A favorite winter Radish. Very handsome; of medium size; rose color; flesh white. By packing in sand, fresh, crisp radishes may be had all winter. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 80c; 2 lbs., \$1.45; 5 lbs., \$3.40; 10 lbs., \$6.40, postpaid.

PRIZE MIXTURE. All the leading early varieties mixed. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 75c; 2 lbs., \$1.35; 5 lbs., \$3.15; 10 lbs., \$6.00, postpaid.

## Japanese Giant Radishes

SAKURIJIMA, or Poultry Radish. The largest variety of radish in cultivation. Often attains a weight of 15 lbs., and some grow to more than 50 lbs. Nearly round. A great curiosity and a radish of extraordinary quality. Flesh solid, firm and brittle, and of most excellent flavor. A favorite for fall and winter use, and a valuable winter feed for cattle and poultry. Every poultryman should plant some of them. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c; lb., \$2.00, postpaid.

NERIMA LONG. An exceedingly sweet-flavored, long white radish. Grows 3 feet long; very crisp and brittle. Fine for all styles of cooking and excellent for pickles. One of the best for eating raw. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; 1/4 1b., 70c; 1b., \$2.25, postpaid.



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the comparative size. The Sakurijima Radish shown in this picture weighed

## Salsify or Vegetable Oyster

One ounce to 75 feet of row.

MAMMOTH SANDWICH ISLAND. The best variety. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 70c; lb., \$2.25; 2 lbs., \$4.05; 5 lbs., \$9.55, postpaid.

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## Winter Squash

One ounce to 10 hills; 3 to 4 lbs. per acre.

DELICIOUS. Unsurpassed for sweetness, richness of flavor and extraordinary quality. Excellent for fall and winter use; keeps well until late in the spring. Fruits usually weigh 5 to 10 lbs.; rind dark green, mottled in lighter shades; dark orange flesh, very thick and fine grained. Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 45c; lb., \$1.50; 2 lbs., \$2.70; 5 lbs., \$6.35, postpaid.

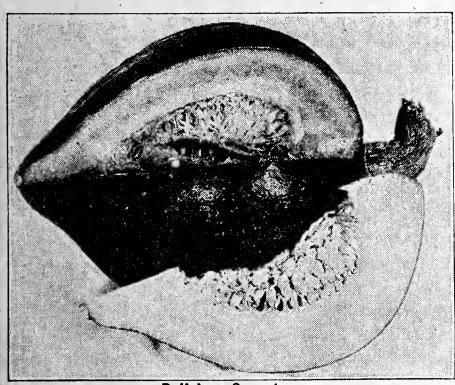
TRUE HUBBARD. The old stand-by, and most popular winter variety. Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c; ½ lb., 45c; lb., \$1.50; 2 lbs., \$2.70; 5 lbs., \$6.35, postpaid.

BLUE HUBBARD. A large Squash of the Hubbard shape; color blue-gray; extra thick meated; excellent quality. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., \$1.65; 2 lbs., \$2.95; 5 lbs., \$7.00, postpaid.

CHICAGO WARTY HUBBARD. Preferred by many to True Hubbard. Popular with market growers catering to a fancy trade. Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c; ½ lb., 45c; lb., \$1.50; 2 lbs., \$2.70; 5 lbs., \$6.35, postpaid.

GOLDEN OR RED HUBBARD. A week earlier than True Hubbard, and of the same shape and quality. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., \$1.65; 2 lbs., \$2.95; 5 lbs., \$7.00, postpaid.

BANANA. One of the finest of all Squashes; 2 to 3 feet in length; a great yielder and a good keeper. Will produce a crop where other winter squashes do not succeed. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., \$1.65; 2 lbs., \$2.95; 5 lbs., \$7.00, postpaid.



Delicious Squash

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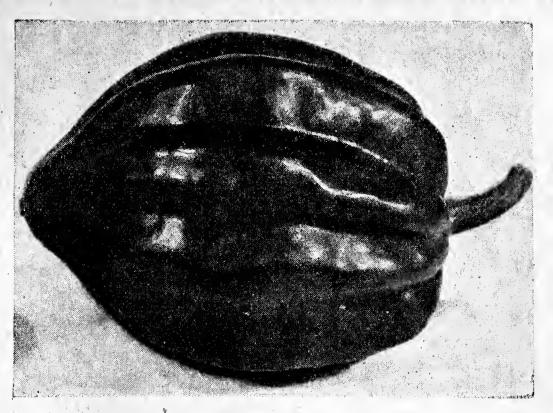


Table Queen Squash

## Table Queen or Acorn Squash

Surely a Squash fit for a Queen's taste. Cut in half and baked for 20 minutes it will give you a delicious meal you will long remember, and if you like pie, try one made from Table Queen. You will be pleased not only with the quality of this Squash, but will get so many from each seed planted, the vines being so vigorous and productive. The fruits are a nice size to handle, 6 to 7 inches long and 4 to 5 inches in diameter. The meat is exceptionally dry and mealy and of extra fine flavor. The shell is thin, but hard and smooth, and they keep as well as the Hubbard, although they ripen earlier. The color is dark green, almost black, with sometimes a blotch of red at pointed end. This fine Squash has rapidly come into favor in many markets, being preferred to the large sorts, while for the home garden it is ideal. Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c; ½ lb., 45c; lb., \$1.50; 2 lbs., \$2.70; 5 lbs., \$6.35, postpaid.

## SUMMER SQUASH

One ounce to 25 hills; 3 to 4 lbs. per acre.

GIANT SUMMER CROOKNECK. The most popular Summer Squash; one of the earliest varieties. Pkt., 5c; oz., 12c; ½ lb., 35c; lb., \$1.15; 2 lbs., \$2.05; 5 lbs., \$4.90, postpaid.

## Summer Straight-Neck

A selection of Crookneck Squash producing straight necks, which is more desirable than Crookneck for either the home garden or market. The straight fruits are easily packed for shipping. Very productive; best quality. Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c; ½ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.35; 2 lbs., \$2.40; 5 lbs., \$5.70, postpaid.

EARLY WHITE BUSH, or PATTY PAN. Our special strain of this variety is the earliest Squash grown. Very productive; a favorite Summer Squash with market gardeners. Pkt., 5c; oz., 12c; ½ lb., 30c; lb., \$1.00; 2 lbs., \$1.80; 5 lbs., \$4.25, postpaid.

## Cocozelle, Italian Vegetable Marrow or Summer Asparagus

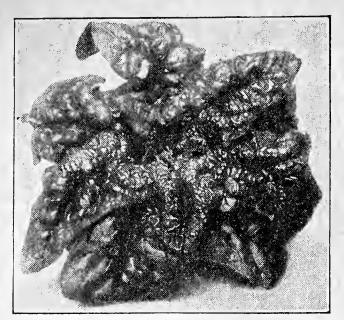
cocozelle (Italian Marrow or Summer Asparagus) is one of the most delicious additions to the Squash family. For piquancy of flavor, tenderness and general palatability it has few equals.

This plant does not make a vine, but grows in the form of a compact bush, and 5 or 6 hills is sufficient for a large family. The oblong green fruits should be picked when not more than 4 to 6 inches long. If the fruits are allowed to grow larger they lose their delicacy of flavor, and when one fruit is al-

lowed to mature it checks the formation of any more fruit on the plant. The fruits form and grow rapidly and may be picked almost every day until frost. If planted early it will fruit from the

latter part of June until October. Can be cooked like As paragus or Squash, and most excellent when prepared like French fried potatoes. Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25; 2 lbs., \$2.25; 5 lbs., \$5.30, postpaid.

Cocozelle, Italian Vegetable Marrow or Summer Asparagus



Bloomsdale Spinach

New Zealand, Everbearing or Hot Weather Spinach

## SORREL

One ounce of seed for 100 feet of row.

LARGE-LEAVED FRENCH or GARDEN. An improved variety of Sorrel which is used for soups, and when cooked like Spinach makes a very palatable dish. It is also fine for salads on account of its pleasant acid flavor. It is ready for use in about 60 days after seed is planted, and the plants will continue in full bearing from 3 to 4 years. Our seed is from the best garden strain, having large, pale green leaves of fine quality. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ½ lb., 60c, postpaid.

## Sweet Potato Plants

EARLY JERSEY. Earliest and best variety. Shipping season is usually from about May 1st to June 1st. No orders accepted after June 1st. 25 plants for 50c; 50 for 85c; 100 for \$1.50; 250 for \$3.00, postpaid. In lots of 500 or more, by express, not prepaid, \$9.00 per 1,000.

## TOBACCO

One ounce will produce about 5,000 plants.

Grow your own Tobacco and have a good supply of pure, unadulterated natural leaf that has not been "doped" or "doctored" up by the manufacturer. A packet or two of seed will grow enough to supply most anyone.

CONNECTICUT SEED LEAF. The leading variety in the Northern and Middle States. Can be successfully grown even in the far North. Pkt., 10c; oz., 40c; 1/4 lb., \$1.25; lb., \$4.00, postpaid.

FINE HAVANA. Choice seed from an extra select strain; large leaf; one of the earliest. Pkt., 10c; oz., 40c; 1/4 lb., \$1.25; lb., **\$4.00**, postpaid.

IMPROVED WHITE BURLEY. Extra select strain. Popular variety for chewing. Pkt., 10c; oz., 40c; ¼ lb., \$1.25; lb., \$4.00 postpaid.

# Spinach

One ounce to 100 feet of row.

BLOOMSDALE. The earliest variety; leaves curled and wrinkled; blight-resistant, and hardy; extensively planted for market and canning. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 50c; 2 lbs., 90c; 5 lbs., \$2.00; 10 lbs., \$3.50, postpaid.

KING OF DENMARK. A valuable variety which forms compact bushes with round, thick, crumpled leaves of rich dark green color. It is a very early variety and remains in good condition after nearly all other varieties have run to seed. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 20c; lb., 50c; 2 lbs., 90c; 5 lbs., \$2.00; 10 lbs., \$3.50, postpaid.

MONSTROUS VIROFLAY, or THICKLEAF. A variety bearing thick leaves, measuring up to 10 inches in length and 8 inches wide. Plants measure 24 to 30 inches across on highly fertilized land. Grows

> more rapidly than other kinds, so can be used earlier. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 20c; lb., 50c; 2 lbs., 90c; 5 lbs., \$2.00; 10 lbs.,

**\$3.50**, postpaid.

PRINCESS JULIANA. A very productive second-early variety, which is claimed by many to be the finest Spinach yet introduced. The first plants of Spinach to go to seed are the male plants. Princess Juliana is a new type without male plants, which causes it to remain in prime condition. longer before bolting to seed than any other sort. The leaves are of good size, very dark green, well crumpled and thick. Valuable for spring or autumn planting. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 20c; lb., 50c; 2 lbs., 90c; 5 lbs., \$2.00; 10 lbs., \$3.50, postpaid.

VICTORIA. A large-growing variety which is noted for its dark green leaves and ability to withstand hot weather. Leaves are only slightly crumpled, and of finest quality. It is a heavy yielder, and unexcelled for spring or fall sowing. Pkt., 5c; oz., 8c; ¼ lb., 15c; lb., 45c; 2 lbs., 80c; 5 lbs., \$1.85; 10 lbs., \$3.30, postpaid.

## New Zealand or Everbearing Spinach -(Hot Weather Spinach).

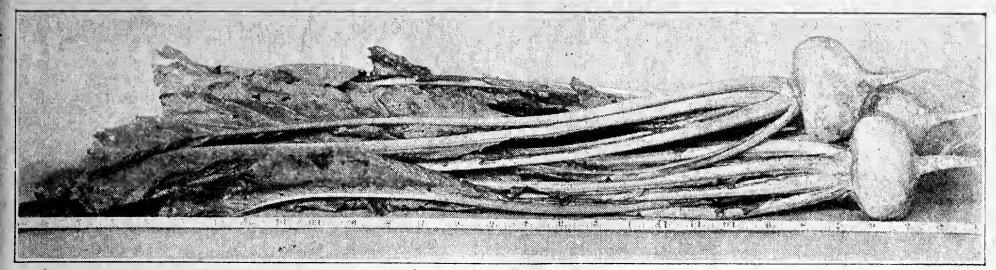
A distinct type of Spinach with small green leaves, which make large, bushy plants, often 3 feet in diameter. Only the young leaves and tips of the branches are used, and the more they are picked the faster the plant seems to grow. It will give you fine greens all summer and fall. Especially suited to dry and arid locations where other varieties do not do roll and suited to dry and arid locations where other varieties do not do well, and the only kind that can be successfully grown in extremely hot weather. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 80c; 2 lbs., \$1.45; 5 lbs., \$3.40; 10 lbs., \$6.40, postpaid.



Potato Seed Balls-One-Half Size

## Hybridized Potato Seed

Seed from the Seed Balls-Headquarters Stock. Your fortune may be in one of them. They are as easy to grow as tomatoes. Millions never saw a Potato Seed Ball. sands have tried in vain to get the seed. Now is your opportunity. This unrivaled seed will produce an endless variety of new kinds. It is from these that all valuable new varieties of potatoes are produced. Growing new and distinct Seedling Potatoes from the Seed-Ball Seed is intensely interesting. They will be the greatest curiosity of your garden. This seed will positively produce innumerable new kinds, colors, shapes, sizes and qualities. The product will astonish you. Some may be of immense value and bring you a golden harvest. Every farmer, gardener and bright boy should plant a few packets. You may be one of the lucky ones. Full directions on every packet. Pkt., 15c; 2 pkts., 25c; 5 pkts., 50c; 12 pkts., \$1.00, postpaid.



Japanese Foliage Turnip

# Japanese Foliage Turnip

A Hot Weather Turnip. Edible Tops and Roots

If you like greens and sweet tender turnips you can have both by planting this new Japanese variety. Trials have shown it to be superior in many respects to most of the varieties generally cultivated in America. The leaves grow upright, about two feet high when fully developed, but should be cut before they attain full growth. Early cuttings will allow another and probably two cuttings later. During a warm growing season it will be ready to cut in about four weeks. The leaves are much like those of broad leaved mustard, are of rich dark green color and are of delicate flavor and crisp and tender. If in gathering for greens, plants are left in the row about 4 inches apart, they will produce an abundant crop of roots which will remain tender and of excellent quality for table use throughout the entire growing season. The roots are pure white, between flat and globe shape. This is a most desirable and valuable variety for growing in both the North and the South. It is rapidly taking the place of Seventon in the South, as it is relatively free of insect pests and diseases, therefore being more easily grown and easier to clean. Another attractive feature of this variety is that it will grow and thrive in hot, dry weather. Pkt., 8c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 70c; 2 lbs., \$1.20; 5 lbs., \$2.75; 10 lbs., \$4.90, postpaid.

## **TURNIPS**

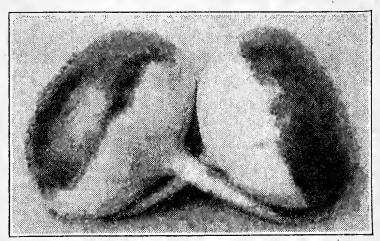
One ounce for 300 feet of row; 2 to 3 lbs. per acre.

AMBER GLOBE, or LARGE YELLOW. The best large yellow late sort. Skin light yellow; flesh yellow, firm and sweet. Fine for table use and stock feeding. A good cropper and keeps in perfect condition until spring. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 65c; 2 lbs., \$1.15; 5 lbs., \$2.75; 10 lbs., \$5.20, postpaid.

ORANGE JELLY, OR GOLDEN BALL. The best early yellow Turnip. Not of large size, but firm and of excellent flavor. Keeps well. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 20c; lb., 65c; 2 lbs., \$1.15; 5 lbs., \$2.75; 10 lbs., \$5.20, postpaid.

EXTRA EARLY PURPLE TOP MILAN. The earliest Turnip grown. The bulb is flat, of medium size; white, with a bright purple top; and in quality the best. Planted extensively for first market crop, but not as well suited for summer planting. Reaches marketable size in 50 days. Pkt., 5c; oz., 12c; 14. Ib., 30c; lb., 85c; 2 lbs., \$1.55; 5 lbs., \$3.65; 10 lbs., \$6.80, postpaid.

EARLY PURPLE TOP STRAP LEAF. The standard early variety. Roots broad and flat, of medium size; white, purple top. Extensively sown for both



Purple. Top White Globe Turnip

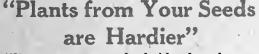
table use and stock feeding. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 20c; lb., 65c; 2 lbs., 1.15; 10c; 10

PURPLE TOP WHITE GLOBE. The most popular white Turnip for fall and winter use. Flesh pure white, fine grained and of fine flavor. Heavy yielder and splendid keeper. Desirable for table or stock. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 75c; 2 lbs., \$1.35; 5 lbs., \$3.20; 10 lbs., \$6.00, postpaid.

WHITE EGG. A quick growing, egg-shaped, smooth, pure white variety. Flesh firm, sweet and mild. Adapted to either spring or fall sowing. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 65c; 2 lbs., \$1.15; 5 lbs., \$2.75; 10 lbs., \$5.20, postpaid.

cow Horn. 12 to 15 inches long by 3 inches across; white, green top; grow partly above the ground; sweet and of fine flavor. Very valuable as a soil enricher.

Can be sown broadcast on stubble ground, will grow on poor, worn-out soil, and if plowed under will enrich it as much as a crop of clover. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 65c; 2 lbs., \$1.15; 5 lbs., \$2.75; 10 lbs., \$5.20, postpaid.



"For years my only hobby has been my garden; our elevation is 6,000 ft. and we can expect a frost every month in the year, so gardening has its difficulties. I have tried seeds from practically every seed house in America and it is an absolute fact that the plants from your seeds are hardier. People say that seeds are seeds if purchased from a reliable house, but I have proven to my own satisfaction from a good many years' experience that this is not the case. I have not fully decided the extent of my garden this year, but when I do will order all of my seeds from you."—Solon B. Clark, Mackay, Idaho.

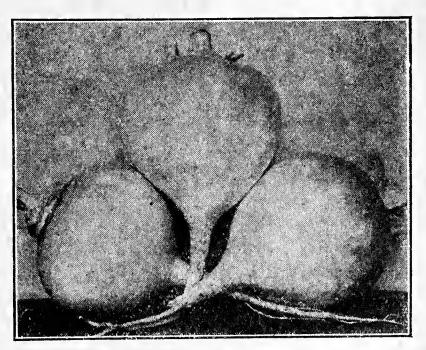
## Rutabagas, or Swedes

One ounce for 300 feet of row; 2 to 3 lbs. per acre.
Rutabagas require a longer season than turnips, so should be sown earlier, or about the middle of June.

IMPROVED PURPLE TOP YELLOW. The best yellow variety; fine flavor. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 70c; 2 lbs., \$1.25; 5 lbs., \$2.95; 10 lbs., \$5.60, postpaid.

MONARCH OR ELEPHANT. Mammoth yellow variety; yields enormous crops. Grown principally for stock feeding, but is good for table use. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 70c; 2 lbs., \$1.25; 5 lbs., \$2.95; 10 lbs., \$5.60, postpaid.

SWEET RUSSIA. Excellent keeper; flesh white, very firm and sweet. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 70c; 2 lbs., \$1.25; 5 lbs., \$2.95; 10 lbs., \$5.60, postpaid.



Improved Purple Top Yellow Rutabaga

# Burgess' Choice Tomato Seed

Every season sees a big increase in the demand for our Tomato seed. Our climatic conditions are conducive to freedom from disease, to the production of fruit instead of vine, and to early maturity. Our strains keep these tendencies to a marked degree when planted elsewhere. A trial will convince you of the superiority of our Tomato seed.

One ounce of seed will produce about 2,000 plants.

# One ounce

## Burgess Earliest and Best

The Earliest and Best Tomato on Earth

Burgess' Earliest and Best Tomato is the earliest and best variety grown. Not only will it produce large, beautiful solid shipping Tomatoes earlier than any other variety, but it produces the most perfect High Crown Tomatoes ever grown, and entirely free from core. No cripples, no scalds, no blight, no cracked, no wrinkled, no one-sided, uneven, scarred fruit, and when dead ripe they will not burst.

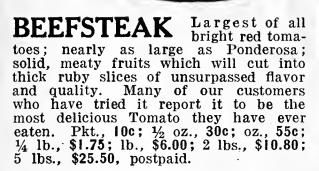
Not only is it the most beautiful bright red Tomato you ever saw, but it also has the finest flavor.

A marvelous stem setter; often ten fruits in first cluster, all solid and meaty, and with fewer seeds than most varieties.

It has just enough foliage—will stand plenty of manuring without going to vine. It is the most perfect shipping Tomato ever grown.

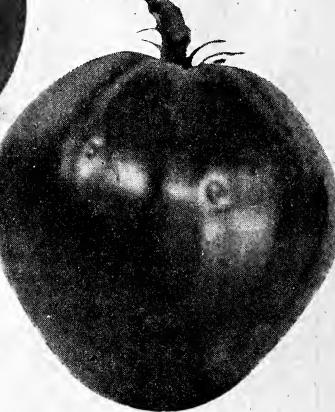
Being such a tremendous yielder, it can be gathered in one-half the time of any other Tomato, and peelers can prepare three bushels to one bushel of any other variety.

Just think of it! A Tomato earlier than Earliana and better than Stone. It is of the John Baer type, and might be termed an extra-early improved strain of that variety. On our Michigan seed farms it ripens fully two weeks earlier than the much advertised Burbank Tomato, and so much better that for quality there is no comparison. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 45c; ¼ lb., \$1.50; lb., \$5.00; 2 lbs., \$9.00; 5 lbs., \$21.25, postpaid.



## **GOLDEN QUEEN**

The leading yellow Tomato. Many consider it of better flavor than any of the red varieties, and it is less acid. Pkt., 10c; oz., 35c; ½ lb., \$1.20; lb., \$4.00; 2 lbs., \$7.20; 5 lbs., \$17.00, post-paid.



Giant Oxheart

# Giant Oxheart Tomato

Oxheart is truly a giant among tomatoes. It is smooth, thick, tender and almost seedless; frequently showing two inches thick without a seed cavity. Three pound specimens are quite common. A pink tomato with a delicious mild flavor that every lover of this fruit likes. For quality it is unexcelled, and, as it becomes better known, it is sure to be one of the most popular tomatoes yet introduced. Pkt., 15c; 2 pkts., 25c; ½ oz., 40c; oz., 70c; ¼ lb., \$2.35; lb., \$8.50, postpaid.

early Tomato. Yields well; fruit bright red, solid and of fine quality. Our strain of this variety is extremely early and is much superior to seed produced farther South. Pkt., 8c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 80c; lb., \$2.75; 2 lbs., \$4.95; 5 lbs., \$11.70, postpaid.

# COLOSSAL

## the Largest Tomato Grown

This is the largest of all Tomatoes, being even larger than the famous Ponderosa. Many planters, in different parts of the country have grown Colossal Tomatoes weighing over 3 lbs., and some more than 4 lbs. Not only does the Colossal produce giant fruits, but it produces them in abundance. One planter in Illinois raised over a ton of Tomatoes from 186 plants. The very thick, meaty flesh, few seeds, and mild flavor combine to give the Colossal a quality on a par with its immense size. Unsurpassed for slicing or canning. Pkt., 20c; 3 pkts., 50c; ½ oz., 40c; oz., 75c, postpaid.

YELLOW COLOSSAL The largest yellow Tomato; just like Colossal except in color, which is a beautiful golden yellow. Pkt., 20c; 3 pkts., 50c; ½ oz., 40c; oz., 75c, postpaid.



Colossal

# **Break O'Day Tomato**

The Earliest, Disease Resistant, Globe Shaped, Scarlet Fruited, Meaty Tomato Yet Introduced.

We are pleased to be able to supply our cus-

tomers with seed of this wonderful Tomato. Break O' Day is a hybrid from Marglobe and other earlier varieties. It ripens as early as Earliana, about two weeks earlier than Marglobe, and possesses all the wilt and disease resistance of the Marglobe. The foliage is similar to that of the Earliana. The fruits are of the Marglobe type, deep globe shaped, solid, meaty, with but few seeds, and of a beautiful scarlet color. No acid; just full of delicious sweet, beautiful red meat. Break O' Day not only starts bearing early, but is an abundant yielder throughout the entire season. Pkt., 10c; oz., 30c; 1/4 lb., \$1.00; lb., \$3.50; 2 lbs., \$6.30; 5 lbs., \$14.85, postpaid.

## Scarlet Topper or Pritchard

The last tomato introduced by the late Dr. Pritchard of the U.S. Department of Agriculture, who originated many fine varieties including Break O' Day and Marglobe. He considered Scarlet Topper the best of all. The fruits are of good size, round, of brilliant red color throughout; firm, thick flesh with small seed cavities. They rolor perfectly right up to the top without any hard green spots, and fruits are remarkably free from cracking. The quality and flavor is simply superb; mild and free from acid. Matures only a few days later than the early varieties. Pkt., 10c; oz., 45c; ¼ lb., \$1.35; lb., \$4.50; 2 lbs., \$8.10; 5 lbs., \$18.00, postpaid.

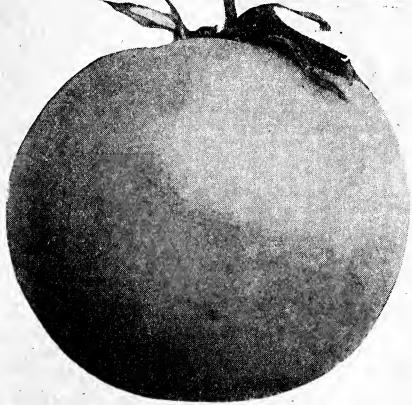
BONNY BEST. A favorite bright scarlet early variety, maturing a little later than Earliana. Pkt., 8c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 80c; lb., \$2.75; 2 lbs., \$4.95; 5 lbs., \$11.70, postpaid.

JUNE PINK. The earliest pink variety. Only 2 or 3 days later than Earliana, but larger, and of better quality. Pkt., 10c; oz., 35c; ¼ lb., \$1.20; lb., \$4.00; 2 lbs., \$7.20; 5 lbs., \$17.00, postpaid. CHALK'S EARLY JEWEL. Large, scarlet, smooth fruits; considered by many to be the best secondspots, and fruits are remarkably free from crack-

fruits; considered by many to be the best second-early sort. Pkt., 8c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 80c; lb., \$2.75; 2 Ibs., \$4.95; 5 lbs., \$11.70, postpaid. JOHN BAER (Extra Early Improved Strain). Usually ripens in about 90 days on our Michigan

seed farms. Fruits nearly round and uniform in shape; smooth and without core. The cell structure is quite solid, which makes it an excellent shipper. The vines are sturdy, but do not make a heavy growth. One of the most productive tomatoes grown. Pkt., 10c; oz., 45c; ¼ lb., \$1.50; lb., \$5.00; 2 lbs., \$9.00; 5 lbs., \$21.25, postpaid. STONE. The old stand-by. Large, bright red, perfectly s m o o t h, main crop tomato. Pkt., 8c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 75c; lb., \$2.50; 2 lbs., \$4.50; 5 lbs., \$10.60, postpaid.

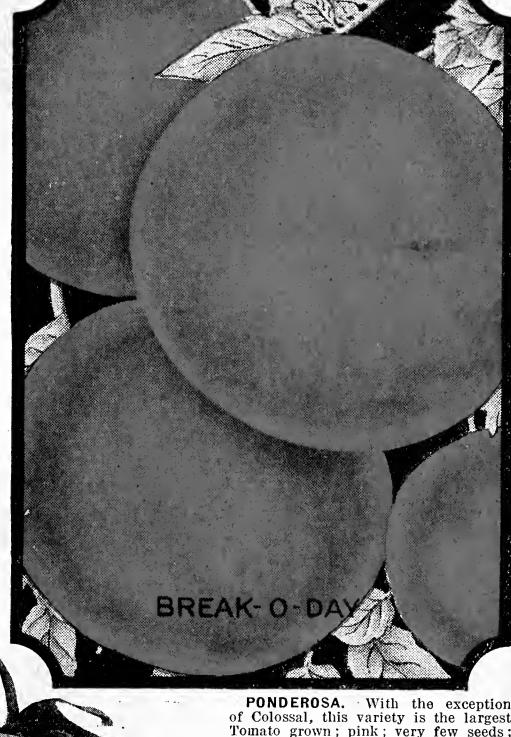
MARGLOBE A wonnew variety which is resistant to nail-head rust and fusarium wilt. Ripens about 2 weeks later than Earliana; large, perfect globe-shaped fruits of a beautiful scarlet color. Its spreading habit of growth enables it to bear in great abundance. Pkt., 10c; oz., 30c; ¼ lb., \$1.00; lb., \$3.50; 2 lbs., \$6.30; 5 lbs., \$14.85, postpaid.



Marglobe

MATCHLESS This is one of the best large-fruited main-crop Tomatoes. It is especially adapted for home use, nearby markets and is very popular for canning. Vines are very vigorous, extremely productive and continue to bear until frost. Fruits are of rich scarlet-red color, half flat, ovoid, smooth, very meaty and solid, free from cracks or other irregularities, and are noted for their excellent long-keeping qualities. Pkt., 10c; oz., 30c; ¼ lb., 90c; lb., \$3.00; 2 lbs., \$5.40; 5 lbs., \$12.00, postpaid.

NORTON WILT-RESISTANT. If you are bothered with wilt in your locality, you will be interested in this variety. The Norton resembles the Stone in appearance and bearing Fruits very firm, solid, smooth and of very fine flavor. An excellent variety for canning. Pkt., 10c; oz., 30c; ¼ lb., \$1.00; lb., \$3.50; 2 lbs., \$6.30; 5 lbs., \$14.85, postpaid.



of Colossal, this variety is the largest Tomato grown; pink; very few seeds; excellent quality. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 30c; oz., 55c; ¼ lb., \$1.75; lb., \$6.00; 2 lbs., \$10.80; 5 lbs., \$25.50, postpaid. DWARF STONE, or TREE TOMATO.

Grows upright like a dwarf tree; no stakes required. The fruits, which hang well up off the ground, are nearly as large as those of the Original Stone, and excellent in quality, smooth, meaty and solid. Dwarf varieties do not produce as many fruits to the plant as the larger sorts, but owing to their small size and upright growth twice as many plants can be set in the same garden space. Pkt., 10c; oz., 45c; ¼ lb., \$1.35; lb., \$4.50; 2 lbs., \$8.10; 5 lbs., \$18.00, postpaid.

## Self Pruning

or Cooper's Special

An improved strain of Livingston's Globe that was given the name Self-Pruning because of its limited branching habit. Tomatoes are borne pro-

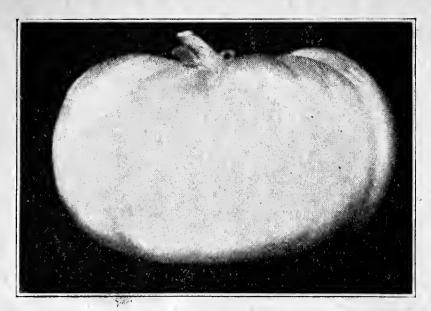
fusely all along the vine, are perfectly smooth, solid and of medium size.

Fruits purple; globe shaped, very fleshy, juicy and of a delightful sub-acid taste. Matures earlier than most nor posts and keeps on bearing almost until frost. Pkt., 10c; oz., 45c; ¼ lb., \$1.35; lb., \$4.50; 2 lbs., \$8.10; 5 lbs., \$18.00, postpaid.

## Small Fruited and Preserving

The following miniature Tomatoes are named for their resemblance to the various fruits and are very ornamental, as well as delicious in salads, preserves and pickles: Red Cherry, Red Pear, Red Plum, Yellow Cherry, Yellow Pear, Yellow Plum. Pkt., 10c; oz., 50c; 6 pkts., one of each, for 35c.

SMALL FRUITED IN MIXTURE. All kinds of small fruited preserving varieties mixed; all shapes and colors. Interesting and useful. Plant a few for the children. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 50c, postpaid.



White Beauty Tomato

## WHITE BEAUTY **TOMATO**

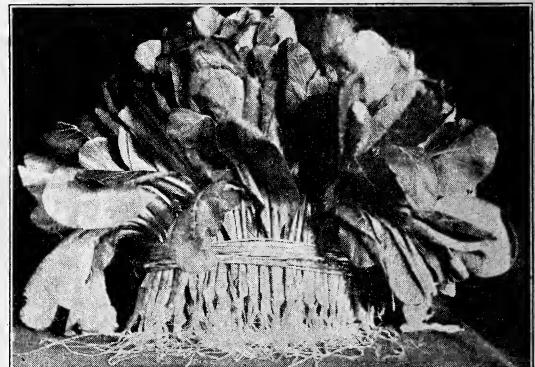
Ivory-white in color and the flesh is almost paper white. This new white variety is of large size and of excellent quality; contains absolutely no acid, so can be eaten by thousands of people who have heretofore avoided Tomatoes on account of the acidity. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; ½ oz., 60c; oz., \$1.00, postpaid.

"My Burgess' Earliest and Best Tomatoes are making a splendid showing. I took off the first ripe tomatoes on July 16th, which is by far the earliest I have ever had, and we found them delicious."-C. H. Wright, D. D. S., Fredericktown, Ohio.

# Mustard Spinach

One ounce of seed to 75 feet of row.

Mustard Spinach, or Tendergreen is a new vegetable of great merit, which is ready for the table in 3 to 4 weeks after seed is planted. It is a very mild Mustard with a distinct Spinach flavor. It is rapidly taking the place of Spinach, as it remains tender even in dry, hot weather. It is a wonderful producer, and is becoming very popular with market growers and home gardeners. It is an all season plant, resistant to insects and blight. The leaves, which are twice the size of Swiss Chard, are mostly used when young. It is not a "cut and come again" crop, but by repeated plantings every two weeks an abundant supply of delicious greens is available throughout the entire summer as well as spring and fall. It is an all the summer as well as spring and fall. It is an all the summer as well as spring and fall. It is an all the summer as well as spring and fall. It is an all the summer as well as spring and fall. able throughout the entire summer, as well as spring and fall. It is extremely resistant to cold weather, so early and late plantings are possible. The leaves are cooked and prepared for the table the same as Spinach. Don't fail to give Mustard Spinach a trial this season. You will be pleased with it. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 25c; lb., 70c; 2 lbs., \$1.25; 5 lbs., \$2.95, postpaid.



Mustard Spinach, or Tendergreen

One acre of Mustard Spinach, 25 days after planting, produced 3,500 bundles like shown in the above illustration. These bundles sold at 10c each, giving a return of \$350.00 an acre.

## HERBS

They take up so little room, and as they are almost indispensable for savory cooking, a few should be planted in every garden. If they are to be used during the winter, the stalks should be cut on a dry day, when not quite in full bloom, and dried quickly in the shade. When dry they should be packed closely in air-tight boxes. Varieties marked with an asterisk (\*) are perennial.

ANISE. Used for garnishing, seasoning and for

cordials. Pkt., 8c; oz., 25c.

BALM. Leaves have a fragrant odor similar to lemons and are used for making balm wine and tea for use in fevers. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 50c.

BASIL, Sweet. Leaves used for flavoring soups, stews and highly seasoned dishes. Pkt., 8c; oz., 25c.

BORAGE. Young leaves used as salad and flavoring; grown

for bee pasture. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c; ½ lb., 60c.

\*CARAWAY. Seeds used for flavoring pastry, meats, etc.
Pkt., 8c; oz., 15c; ½ lb., 40c.

\*CATNIP, or CATMINT. Leaves and young shoots used for seasoning. Tea made from the dried leaves is good for colds



Wormwood

and indigestion. Grown for the bee pasture and for cats. Said to be a "cure-all" for cat diseases. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 65c.
CHAMOMILE. The dried

flowers possess medicinal qualities. Mostly used for diseases of the stomach and for poultices. Pkt., 10c; 3

pkts., 25c; oz., 50c. CORIANDER. Seed used in confectionery and culinary preparations. Pkt., 8c; oz.,

DILL. Leaves used for flavoring pickles, soups and sauces. Pkt., 8c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 35c; lb., \$1.00.

\*FENNEL, Sweet. The leaves, boiled, are used for fish sauces, and are beautiful for garnishing. The seeds are used for flavoring. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c.

\*HOREHOUND. Used for flavoring candy and in the manufacturing of cough medicine. Horehound tea is a remedy for colds and lung affections. Pkt., 10c; oz., 40c.

\*HYSSOP. The flower summits and leaves are used as a remedy for asthma and catarrh. A stimulant, expectorant and mild tonic. Pkt., 8c; oz., 25c.

\*LAVENDER. The leaves are sometimes used for seasoning. but the plant is chiefly grown for its flowers, which are used in the making of perfumes. The dried flowers and leaves are fine for perfuming dresser drawers and linen closets, filling soft cushions, etc. Pkt., 10c; oz., 35c.

MARJORAM, Sweet. Leaves and ends of the shoots used for flavoring in summer, and also dried for winter use. Pkt., 8c; oz., 25c.

\*ROSEMARY. Leaves used for seasoning. The oil is valuable for treating neuralgia, rheumatism and lumbago. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 60c.

RUE. For medical purposes; good for roup in fowls. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 40c.

SAFFRON. Cultivated for its flowers which are used principally for coloring, sometimes for havoring, and to make the cosmetic powder rouge. The flowers should be picked when in full bloom. Pkt., 8c; oz., 25c.

\*SAGE, Broad Leaved. Leaves and tops used for seasoning and dressing. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 40c; ¼ lb., \$1.25. Plants, 30c each.

SUMMER SAVORY. Leaves and young shoots used for flavoring; especially string beans. Pkt., 8c; oz., 25c.

\*THYME. Leaves and young shoots used for seasoning. A tea is also made from the leaves and used as a remedy for headache. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; oz., 60c.

\*WORMWOOD. Leaves used as a tonic and as a dressing for Also a fine poultry tonic; plant some in the Pkt., 10c; oz., 35c; ¼ lb., \$1.00; lb., \$3.50. fresh bruises. chicken yard.

# Now Is the Time to Get Started in the Medicinal Plant Business

Ginseng and Golden Seal are the two biggest money makers of all the medicinal plants. These plants formerly grew wild in most of the Northern States, and in many parts of the South, and it was from these wild plants that the supply of roots was formerly secured. The crop of wild roots is now nearly exhausted, and it has become necessary to cultivate these plants. You will be making no mistake if you devote a part of your time to the growing of these two plants.

## Ginseng

Ginseng is a big money maker. The average market price of dry ginseng roots is generally about \$7.00 or \$8.00 per pound. Read the following

news item clipped from a Wisconsin daily paper:

"Wausau, Wis., May 21—(Special)—Perhaps by far the most valuable load of products of the soil that ever crossed the streets of Wausau, was seen a few days ago, drawn by one horse. The load consisted of eighteen inconspicuous barrels and no one would have surmised its value had it not been that I. I. Cabler was seen watching it with each and it not been that J. H. Koehler was seen watching it with eagle eyes. Upon inquiry it was found that the barrels contained 1,343½ pounds of ginseng, which had been sold for \$8,061, and was now being started on its long journey to China. The crop was grown on one-half acre of ground near Wausau."

Ginseng should be planted in the fall, but to be certain of getting the seed, you should order same as soon as possible, for we will probably have our supply all sold long before planting time. The best way is to order your Ginseng seed at the same time you order your other seeds; then we can be sure to supply you. From 1,000 to 1,200 seeds are usually required for producing enough plants to set one square rod of ground. With each order for seed we will send complete cultural directions and names and addresses of buyers who will buy the roots from you. Pkt., 25c; 5 pkts., \$1.00. Seeds in bulk, \$3.00 per 1,000; \$12.50 per 5,000; \$22.50 per 10,000; \$50.00 per 25,000, by parcel post, postpaid.



A Bed of Ginseng

## Golden Seal

Golden Seal is easily grown, and is a sure money maker. When ready to dig, the roots should average at least one ounce each, green. This would make 18 pounds of dry roots to each square rod. Dry Golden Seal roots usually sell for \$2.00 to \$3.00 per pound. At \$2.00 a pound this would bring you \$36.00 for the square rod. At this rate an acre would be worth \$5,760.00. Besides this, enough small plants will be found to set out twice as large a patch and the fibrous roots that are left in the ground will form buds and reset the patch.

The figures we give are not overdrawn in the least. One of the leading buyers of medicinal roots says he bought a crop of cultivated Golden Seal that averaged nearly 8 ounces per root, dried. Think of it! At \$2.00 per pound an acre of such Golden Seal would bring \$140,800.00. Any good, well drained soil is suitable for the growing of Golden Seal. Seed should be planted in the fall, but as our supply will be limited, we, in all probabilities, will be unable to supply you with seed unless you send your order at the time you order your other seeds. Order now (send cash with order) and seeds will be mailed to you at the proper time for planting. From 1,000 to 1,200 seeds are usually needed for producing enough plants to set a square rod. With each order for seed we will send complete cultural directions and the names and addresses of medical root buyers who will buy the roots from you. Pkt., 25c; 5 pkts., \$1.00. Seeds in bulk, \$3.00 per 1,000; \$12.50 per 5,000; \$22.50 per 10,000; \$50.00 per 25,000, parcel post, postpaid.



### Strawberries from Seed

Red Alpine. Seed sown in pots in winter will produce fruits the following fruits the following fall. Plants from the general sowing made in spring and summer yield delicious, fruit over an inch in length during the succeeding Strawberry season. Berries are often produced as late as the last of October or early November. Berries are not as large as the standard varieties, but are of superior quality and have the rich wild Strawberry flavor. Pkt., 15c; 2 pkts., 25c.



## Ginseng and Golden Seal Plants

Many of our customers wish to set out Ginseng and Golden Seal plants, and get a patch started in that way, instead of planting seed, and to such persons we can supply plants in limited quantities. Others want to know how to identify these plants when they find them growing wild. It is rather difficult for us to so describe them that one can be positive in their identity after reading the descriptions only, but we can supply any of our customers with one or more of the plants, which will be a positive guide to anyone wishing to dig wild plants.

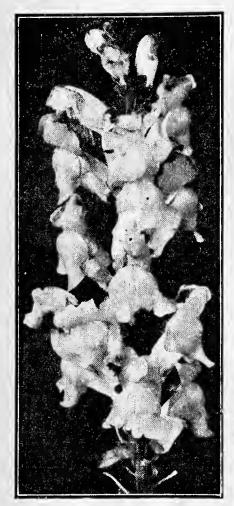
We have but a limited number of the plants to offer, so would recommend that you place your order as early as possible. Plants will then be sent at the proper time for transplanting. Golden Seal plants can be supplied either spring or fall; Ginseng plants usually in the fail only, depending upon the season. Plan on setting about 800 plants to each square rod.

Prices of both Golden Seal and Ginseng Plants (two-year-old plants): One plant, 25c; 12 for \$1.00; 50 for \$2.50; 100 for \$4.00; 250 for \$8.50; 500 for \$16.00; 1,000 for \$30.00, delivered to any part of the United States, prepaid.

# Burgess' Annual Flower Seeds

Flowers are enjoyed by everyone and are so easily raised that any home can have an abundance of blossoms during the entire year. We list with the annuals a few varieties of biennials and tender perennials which bloom and do their best the first year from seed and are usually treated as annuals. The seeds we offer are the products of the best growers. No better strains are to be obtained at any price.

ALL FLOWER SEEDS ARE DELIVERED POSTPAID AT PRICES GIVEN.



Antirrhinum (Snapdragon)

## Oriental Flower Garden

50 varieties of flowers from Japan and China, entirely adapted to our climate. This fine mixture of varieties, all in one packet, 10c.

## BURGESS' Giant Antirrhinum

(Giant Flowered Snapdragon)

Our wonderful new strain of Antirrhinum far surpasses anything previously introduced, growing about 5 feet high, with flowers of magnificent size. The richness and diversity of their colors and their great freedom and protracted blooming season give them great value as bedding plants, as well as for cutting. Half hardy perennial, treated as an annual in the Northern States. We can supply the following Giant Flowered varieties:

APPLE BLOSSOM. Pink and white. Pkt., 10c. PURPLE KING. Rich purple. Pkt., 10c. DEFIANCE. Fiery scarlet. Pkt., 10c. SNOWFLAKE. White. Pkt., 10c. GOLDEN QUEEN. Clear yellow. Pkt., 10c. MIXED. Fine mixture of colors. Pkt., 10c.

Special: 5 packets, one of each of the above separate colors, for 35c.

ANTIRRHINUM, Butterfly. Gorgeously striped; good sized flowers. Pkt., 10c.

ANTIRRHINUM, Semi-Dwarf. Fine mixture of colors; good sized flowers. Pkt., 8c.

ABRONIA Umbellata (Sand Verbena). A charming trailing plant with Verbena-like heads of fragrant flowers of bright rose with white center. It delights in a dry, poor soil and sunny situations on rockwork. Pkt., 10c.



Acroclinium

# A handsome everlasting with white and pink flowers about an inch in diameter, and composed of many fine petals of silky appearance. Borne singly on long stems. When cut in bud, they can be dried and used for winter bouquets. Plants 18 inches tall and covered with a mass of bright blooms. Pkt., 10c.

Ageratum

MEXICANUM. A most effective bedding plant; beautiful fluffy blue flowers in great profusion. 2 feet. Pkt., 5c.

PRINCESS VICTORIA LOUISE. A beautiful variety of compact, even growth; 8 inches. Sky-blue with white center, the contrast being really exquisite. Pkt., 10c.

Alyssum

LITTLE GEM. Makes a perfect "carpet of snow," commencing to bloom in spring when very small, and continuing without interruption until late fall. 4 inches. Pkt., 8c.

LILAC QUEEN. Deep lavender-lilac; dwarf, compact habit.

ekt., 10c.

SWEET. Of trailing habit; flowers white; very sweet. Pkt., 5c.

Amaranthus (Rainbow Plant)

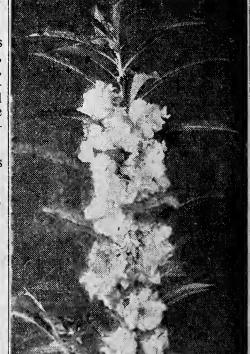
CAUDATUS (Love Lies Bleeding). Blood red; drooping 3 feet. Pkt., 5c.

CRUENTUS (Prince's Feather). Dark red, feath-

ery heads, drooping like a large ostrich plume. Pkt., 8c.

TRICOLOR (Joseph's Coat). Beautiful plant, growing 3 to 5 feet high, with ornamental leaves variegated in red, yellow and green. The large attractive flower-heads are bright crimson. Pkt., 10c.

MIXED. Many kinds mixed. Pkt., 5c.

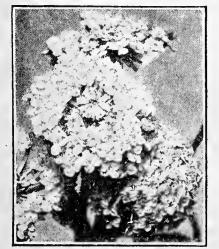


Balsam (Lady Slipper)

## Blue Lace Flower

(Didiscus Coeruleus). A beautiful Australian annual which is becoming very popular on account of its soft blue color, graceful form and beautiful lace-like flowers. The Blue Lace Flower grows into an upright, very much branched plant of about 2 feet in height. Each branch ends in an umbel of light sky-blue flowers which spread out in an umbrella-like fashion, crowning each shoot with a beautiful and delicate head of flowers. The name Blue Lace Flower is most appropriate since the blossoms resemble the most delicate and dainty lace. The many large flower clusters are composed of a great mass of florets on long, graceful stems, are unsurpassed for cut flowers and last unusually long in water. It is very easily grown, blooms freely in the gar-

grown, blooms freely in the garden from July to October, or until the first hard frost. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.



Blue Lace Flower

BALLOON VINE. A rapid and graceful climber; 6 to 10 feet high. The numerous seed pods are inflated pouches resembling balloons. Small white flowers. Seeds are black with white heart-shaped spot; often strung as beads. Pkt., 8c.

BALSAM (Lady Slipper), Choice Double. A charming old-fashioned garden flower. A fine mixture of colors which will give a wonderfully showy bed or border. Large flowers and very double. Blooms from July until frost. Pkt., 8c.

BALSAM APPLE (Momordica Balsamina). Very curious climbing vine, with very fine glossy green ornamental foliage and golden-yellow, warted fruits. The fruit bursts when ripe, exposing bright orange-scarlet interior, which resembles a handsome flower. Fine for trellis, rockwork, stumps, etc. 10 feet. Pkt., 10c.

# NEW WILT RESISTANT CREGO ASTER

## Now Everyone Can Grow Asters

The new Wilt Resistant strain of Crego is the best of all the feathery or fluffy types of Asters. The large double flowers are on long stems and unsurpassed for cutting.

During the past few years it has become rather discouraging to attempt growing Asters due to the so-called wilt disease. This disease is caused by a specific parasitic fungus, which may attack the plant at any stage in its growth from the seedling to the seed-producing age. The spores of the fungus may be carried on Aster seed and on inert matter with the seed, on the implements used in preparing the soil, and in the soil itself. When once introduced into the soil, it persists indefinitely and makes the land "aster sick," that is, whenever an ordinary strain of Asters is planted into that particular soil at any time thereafter, the wilt fungus living in it will attack the plants and they will die off at some stage of their growth.

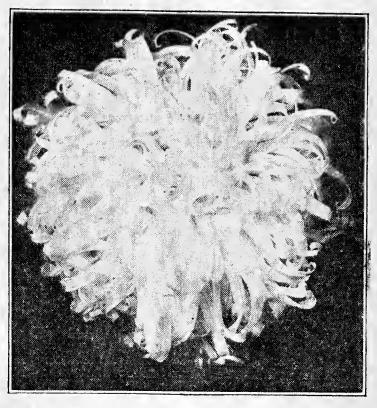
A wilt resistant strain of Asters, however, is one which, although planted on the very sickest soil available, will withstand the attacks of the fungus and develop into strong, healthy plants. Just as some people or animals withstand the attacks of certain diseases, while others become sick at the first sign of an epidemic, so the resistant strains of Asters will withstand the attack of the wilt fungus, while the non-resistant strains will succumb.

Experiments with this new Wilt Resistant strain show not only stronger plants, but better forms with larger flowers of better substance than the old or ordinary strains of Asters. We offer the following colors:

Cattleya, fascinating shade of orchid Crimson Shell Pink Peach Blo

Dark Violet Deep Rose Peach Blossom (Lavender Pink) White Mixed

Your choice of above colors at 15c per packet; 3 packets, 40c; 7 packets, 70c.



Giant Ostrich Feather Aster

King

## King Asters

In form the flower is entirely distinct from any other aster. The blossoms are round, full, and very large; long, narrow, quilled petals, those in the center being curled and incurved, completely covering the crown. Crimson, Pink, Lavender, Violet, White. Separate colors or mixed, 10c per packet; 3 pkts., 25c; 5 pkts., 40c.

## Giant Ostrich Feather Aster

Magnificent feathery, full, fluffy flowers of large size. Borne on long stems, they make cut flowers par excellence. Crimson, Brilliant Rose, Pink, Light Blue, Dark Blue, Pure White. Separate colors or mixed, 10c per packet; 3 pkts., 25c; 6 pkts., 40c.

## Heart of France

The best pure red Aster ever introduced. Nearly all others have shades of blue or too much yellow in the color pigments. Heart of France opens red as the purest ruby, deepens with age and retains its remarkable beauty to the very end. The petals appear strikingly changeable, showing now a glow and sheen quite unique, now a soft warm velvety texture. In any light, natural or artificial, Heart of France is startlingly beautiful and will command instant admiration. The flowers are large and full with never a trace of hollow center. Pkt., 15c; 2 for 25c.

## Giant Chrysanthemum-Flowered Comet Asters

Our select strain of the Chrysanthemum-Flowered Comet Aster is larger and finer than the much advertised Astermum. Flowers 4 to 6 inches in diameter, very double; long, curled, twisted petals, resembling fine Japanese Chrysanthemums. Rose, Crimson, Light Blue, Dark Blue, White. Separate colors or mixed. 10c per packet; 3 pkts., 25c; 5 pkts., 35c.

## Queen of the Market Asters

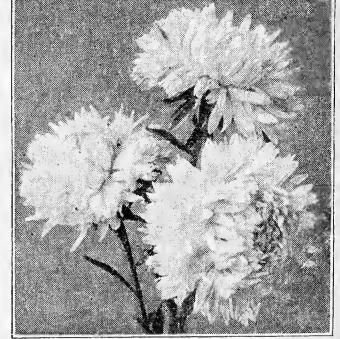
Our early strain of Queen of the Market Asters is a most valuable type for bedding as well as cutting, as they are the first to come into bloom, and continue blooming until checked by fall frosts. Several other strains of Aster are being offered as something earlier than Queen of the Market, but we find none of them as early as our strain of Queen of the Market, and none of them as valuable either for florists or the home flower garden. Plants are 15 to 18 inches in height and branch freely near the ground, giving long stems to the flowers. White, Pink, Crimson, Light Blue, Dark Blue, Scarlet. Separate colors or mixed. 10c per packet; 3 pkts., 25c; 6 pkts., 40c.

## New Everlasting or Straw Flower Asters

This handsome new Aster was found growing among other Asters a few years ago and it has retained its peculiar characteristics during the several years in which it has been grown. It is a real Aster which, when cut and dried, retains its color and shape as an everlasting flower. The plant is grown the same as any other Aster, and blooms from July to September. Pick the flowers when three-quarters open and hang them up with the heads down until dried. If you want something exceptionally fine for dried winter bouquets. try this new Everlasting Aster. We are now able to supply two colors, Flesh and Rose. Pkt., 15c; 2 pkts., 25c, postpaid.

## Peerless Yellow Aster

Years of work has been done in perfecting a true Yellow Aster, and it has finally been accomplished. Peerless Yellow is the very best of its color. It is of the American Branching habit, about 2 feet in height, with flowers of good size and form. The petals are slightly incurved, but with no trace of quills, as in the earlier forms of the Yellow Aster. The color is deep yellow when first opened and fades slightly as it ages. Pkt., 15c; 2 pkts., 25c.

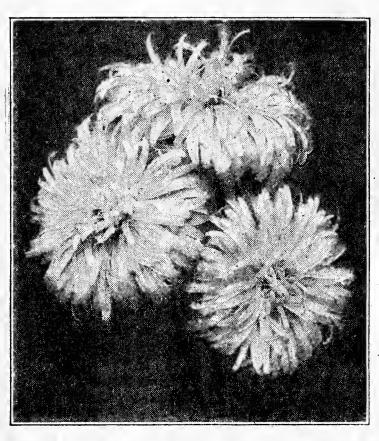


Queen of the Market

# New Sunshine Asters

Improved Anemone-Flowered

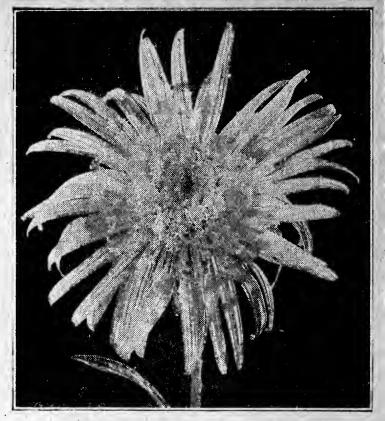
A beautiful new type of Aster, forming well-branched bushes carrying a profusion of excellent long-stemmed flowers. Some of the flowers have twisted petals and some have quilled petals; all have a cushion center of tiny quills of a contrasting color which makes a flower look as if it were covered with snow flakes. The blue flowers are dotted with a paler blue and some in white, and the rose in a lighter shade of pink or white. Their delicate beauty is hard to describe. Excellent for garden display and particularly



California Giants Aster

fine for cutting. We offer the following colors: Crimson, Lilac, Blue, Rose, White. Separate colors or mixed, 10c per packet; 3 pkts., 25c; 5 pkts., 40c.

## Giants of California Aster



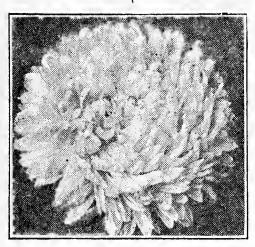
New Sunshine Asters

The enormous flowers, which often measure up to 6 inches in diameter, are of the Ostrich Feather type, with long, graceful petals attractively curled and twisted. The plants grow 2 to 3 feet tall and carry their flowers on fine long stems. Due to the size of the blossoms there are fewer to each plant, and they are about two weeks later than our Giant Ostrich Feather and the Comet and Creso types. Their impense size and beauty long sturdy stems, and good and Crego types. Their immense size and beauty, long sturdy stems, and good lasting quality make them unsurpassed for cutting. We offer mixed colors only, but in our mixture will be found a fine assortment of colors ranging from clear white to purple. Pkt., 15c; 2 pkts., 25c.

## New Sensation Aster

This is the reddest of all Asters, the color being a dark rich garnet or oxblood red, which glistens in the sunshine like a live coal. Grows 18 to 20 inches high, well branched, and covered with double flowers. The flowers are perfect in form, average  $3\frac{1}{2}$  inches across, and resemble Dahlias. Begin blooming in early August and continue to flower freely until the advent of frost. Pkt., 15c; 2 pkts., 25c.

## American Late Branching Asters



American Late Branching

A grand strain of Ameri-Plants form can origin. strong, branching bushes 2 to 2½ feet in height, bearing on long, strong stems, flowers which are very double and, under ordinary cultivation, average 5 inches across. Crimson, Scarlet, Bright Rose, Flesh Pink, Sky Blue, Purple, White. Separate colors or mixed, 10c per packet; 3 pkts., 25c; 7 pkts., 50c.

PEONY-FLOWERED PERFECTION ASTERS. Very large and double. A choice mixture of all colors. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.

## **Calliopsis**

Beautiful, showy, free-flowering plants, of the easiest culture, doing well in any sunny position, blooming all summer and excellent for cutting and massing. By keeping the old flowers picked off the flowering season can be lengthened until late autumn.

CRIMSON KING. A fine dwarf sort, 9. inches high; color rich, velvety crimson-garnet. Pkt., 8c.

DWARF MIXED. Finest mixture of dwarf varieties; yellow, orange, red, brown, etc. Pkt., 8c.

TALL DOUBLE MIXED. Finest mixture of double varieties. Pkt., 8c. TALL SINGLE MIXED. A superb mixture of all colors. Pkt., 5c.



Calliopsis

## CALENDULA (Pot Marigold)

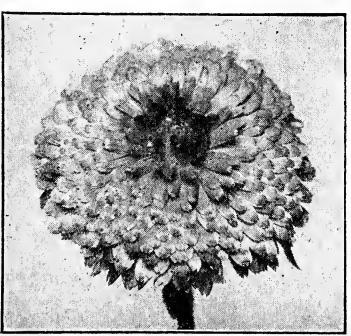
One of the best and showiest free flowering hardy annuals. Blooms from early summer until killed by frost; particularly bright in late fall. Valuable also for not culture, blooming freely in winter and early spring.

METEOR. Large double flowers, striped orange and cream. Pkt., 5c. ORANGE KING. Extra fine, double, rich orange-red variety; flowers over 3 inches in diameter. Pkt., 8c. SULPHUR CROWN. Large, double, sulphur yellow. Pkt., 5c. FINEST MIXED. Double sorts mixed. Pkt., 5c.

## New Calendula "Campfire" or "Sensation"

A beautiful new variety that is a sensational development in Calendulas. It is a decided improvement over the ordinary, both in form and substance, the flowers being larger and double throughout. The long, strong stems of Campfire make it unexcelled for cutting. Its color is a fascinating shade of rich brilliant orange with a scarlet sheen. Valuable for bedding or forcing in pots. Pkt., 15c; 3 pkts., 30c.

A beautiful departure from the conventional form Calendula Radio of Calendula. The flowers are large and double, and the petals attractively quilled. The color is a deep shade of golden yellow.



Calendula Campfire (Sensation)

## CENTAUREA CYANUS

(Corn Flower or Bachelor's Button)

Our Centaurea Cyanus is a choice long stemmed strain of an old fashioned annual which never will decrease in popularity. It will grow anywhere and as a cut flower it is considered indispensable. It grows to a height of 2½ to 3 feet, and furnishes immense and well shaped double flowers not only in the popular blue variety, but also in the desirable colors listed below. Easily grown; blooms all summer.

Double Brick-Red. Double Pink.

Double Mauve. Double Dark Purple. Double White.

Double Mixed. All colors. Any of the above at 10c per packet; 3 pkts., 25c; 6 pkts., 40c.

## Centaurea Imperialis (Giant Sweet Sultan)

This beautiful class is undoubtedly the finest of all Sweet Sultans for cut flower purposes. The beautiful, sweet scented, exquisitely fringed, artistic shaped flowers measure 3 to 4 inches across, and are borne on long, strong stems. Height, 2½ feet. Flower profusely over a very long period. When cut and put in water, will last for several days in good condition. We offer the following colors: Dark Purple, Lilac, Bright Rose, White. Separate colors or mixed, 10c per packet; 4 pkts., 30c.

4 pkts., 30c.

## Centaurea Gymnocarpa or DUSTY MILLER

A beautiful foliage plant with finely cut silvery-gray leaves. Used for bedding purposes, borders, edges, etc. 1½ to 2 feet. Pkt., 10c.

## **COBAEA SCANDENS**

Also called Cup and Saucer Vine or Cathedral Bells. A handsome annual climber of rapid growth, attaining a height of 30 to 50 feet during the season. Will cling to any rough surface. Large, bell-shaped, purplish-lilac flowers. Pkt., 10c.



Cobaea Scandens

## CLEOME PUNGENS (Giant Spider Plant)

A strong, robust grower, 4 to 5 feet high, with great panicles of bloom as large as a Hydrangea and unaffected by wind or weather. The flowers are deep purplish pink when they first open, but turn to light pink, so that the lower part of the panicle is a different color from the upper. The stamens are several inches long, from which it derives the name—Spider Plant. Seed sown in the open ground in May will flower in July and continue in flower uninterruntedly until frost. Plat. 100 in July and continue in flower uninterruptedly until frost. Pkt., 10c.

## **CANARY BIRD VINE**

-A beautiful rapid growing annual climber, the charming little canary-yellow blossoms bearing a fancied resemblance to a bird with wings half expanded. The sprays of flowers are very artistic and, when cut, keep in good condition for a week. Pkt., 8c.

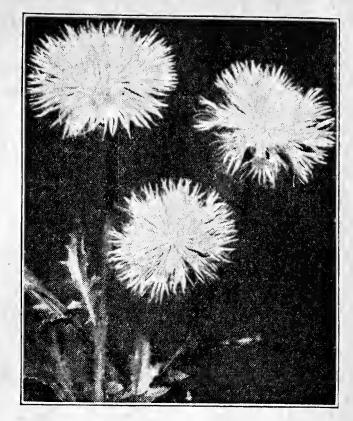
## Cypress Vine

One of the most popular of the annual climbers. Very delicate fern-like foliage, and masses of small, bright, star-

shaped flowers.

SCARLET. Pkt., 5c.

MIXED. Scarlet and White. Pkt., 5c.



Centaurea Imperialis



Cleome Pungens

**Double Cosmos** 

## **COSMOS**

Beautiful summer and autumn blooming plants, producing thousands of artistic flowers and furnishing an abundance of cut blossoms for autumn decorations when other flowers are scarce. The double varieties are the best of all for cut flowers, the blooms lasting considerably longer than the single varieties.

AUTUMN GIANTS. Gigantic flowers with broad, overlapped petals of splendid substance; borne on very long stems. All colors mixed. Pkt., 5c.

GIANT SUMMER, Crimson. As early as the earliest and continues until frost. Nearly as large as the late sorts. Pkt., 8c.

GIANT SUMMER, Pink. A beautiful rosy-pink flowered form of the above. Pkt., 8c.

GIANT SUMMER, White. Pure white. Pkt., 8c.

GIANT SUMMER, Mixed. All three colors, mixed. Pkt., 8c. EARLY-FLOWERED DOUBLE, Crimson. Pkt., 15c; 3 pkts., 30c.

EARLY-FLOWERED DOUBLE, Pink. Pkt., 15c; 3 pkts., 30c.

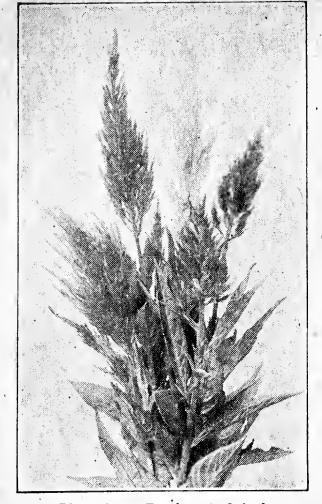
EARLY-FLOWERED DOUBLE, White. Pkt., 15c; 3 pkts., 30c. EARLY-FLOWERED DOUBLE, Mixed. Pkt., 15c; 3 pkts., 30c.

YELLOW COSMOS "KLONDYKE." Golden yellow flowers, 21/2 to  $3\frac{1}{2}$  inches across; long stems. To get this variety in bloom before frost in the Northern States it should be grown in pots or boxes, so that the roots are confined, thus throwing it into flower sooner. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.

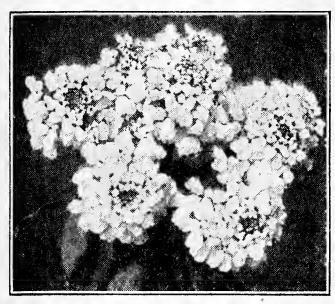
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## Chinese Forget-Me-Not

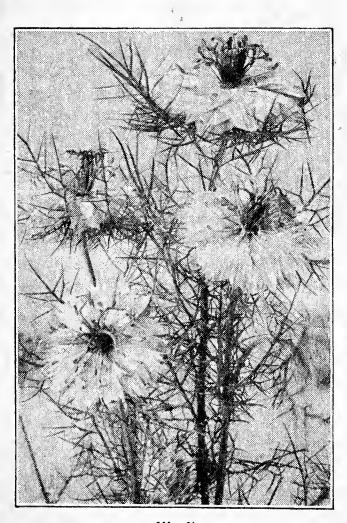
(Cynoglossum Amabile). A rare gem for your garden. Forms perfect bushes, 18 to 20 inches high, and is just one mass of lovely brilliant sky-blue forget-menot-like flowers from the latter part of May or the first of June until It is ideal for bedding as well as for cut flowers. You can cut with 18 inch stems. No other annual will bloom more quickly from seed. Your garden will not be complete without this wonderful flower. Pkt., 15c.



Plumed or Feathered Celosia



Candytuft



Nigella

# **CELOSIA**

CHINESE WOOL FLOWER (Celosia Childsii), Crimson. One of the most magnificent garden annuals ever introduced. Commences blooming early and continues until frost. 2 to 3 feet high; wool-like blossoms in immense clusters, often measuring 2 feet in circumference. Pkt., 10c.

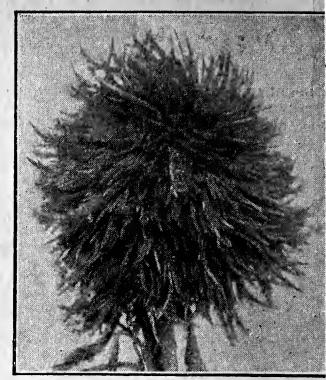
Pink. A new variety of Chinese Wool Flower, with magnificent glowing pink flowers. Pkt., 15c.

Yellow. Gorgeous yellow blossoms. Pkt.,

Mixed. A mixture of all 3 colors of Chinese Wool Flower. Pkt., 15c.

COCKSCOMB (Celosia Cristata). Freeblooming annuals, growing best in not too rich and in rather light soil. Make grand border plants and are attractive for pots. Fine mixed. Pkt., 8c.

PLUMED or FEATHERED (Celosia Plumosa). Of pyramidal growth, attaining a height of 3 feet and producing numerous brilliant, massive plumes which resemble ostrich feathers and wave gracefully above the foliage. Choice mixture of red and yellow shades. Pkt., 10c.



Chinese Wool Flower (Celosia Childsii)

## Cardinal Climber

The most beautiful and brilliant climber ever grown. Strong, rapid growing annual attaining a height of 25 feet, with beautiful fern-like foliage and literally covered with a blaze of flery cardinal-red flowers from midsummer to frost. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.

## **CANDYTUFT**

The Candytufts are popular everywhere, and considered indispensable for cutting. Seed sown in April, flowers in June. Successive sowings should be made at intervals. Hardy and easy to grow.

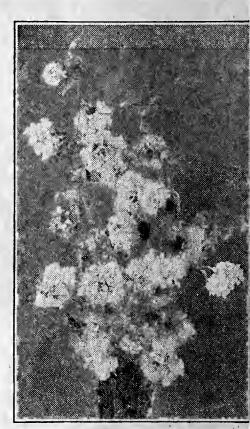
GIANT HYACINTH-FLOWERED. The finest of all; immense spikes of large, pure white flowers. Pkt., 8c.

ALL COLORS MIXED. A fine mixture of white, pink, lilac and red shades. Pkt., 8c.

## **NIGELLA**

(Love-in-a-Mist or Devil-in-a-Bush)

A pretty, interesting and easily grown annual. This beautiful, unique and little known plant makes a showy and attractive border or mixes well with other Blue or Pink flowers for bedding. The deli-cate Blue and White flowers surrounded by a feath-ery mass of foliage suggest "Love-in-a-Mist," and the red crown-shaped horn tipped seed pods suggest "Devil-in-a-Bush." Fine for cutting. Twelve to fifteen inches. Easily grown in any garden soil. Mixed colors. Pkt., 10c.

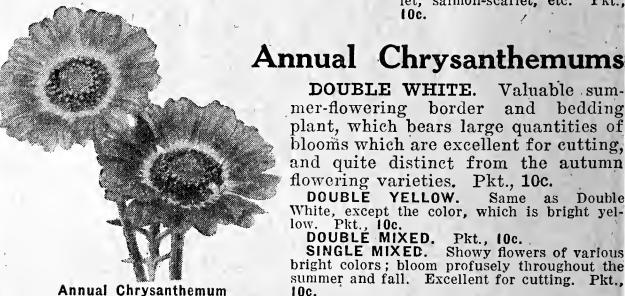


Clarkia

## **CLARKIA**

ELEGANS DOUBLE An easily grown annual

doing well in rather poor soil, and in either sun or shade. Grow 2 to 2½ feet high, with beautiful double flowers, which open in water when cut. Resemble gorgeous sprays of Flowering Almond. A fine mixture of colors from pure white, flesh pink, bright pink, rose and salmon to the darker shades of orange, orange-scar-let, salmon-scarlet, etc. Pkt.,



Annual Chrysanthemum

DOUBLE WHITE. Valuable summer-flowering border and bedding plant, which bears large quantities of blooms which are excellent for cutting, and quite distinct from the autumn

flowering varieties. Pkt., 10c.

DOUBLE YELLOW. Same as Double White, except the color, which is bright yellow. Pkt., 10c.

DOUBLE MIXED. Pkt., 10c.

SINGLE MIXED. Showy flowers of various bright colors; bloom profusely throughout the summer and fall. Excellent for cutting. Pkt. summer and fall. Excellent for cutting. Pkt.,

## Dianthus or Pinks

Few flowers can equal the old-fashioned Pinks in beauty and profusion of blooms. They are easily grown and do well in almost any kind of soil and location. The varieties listed on this page are biennials, but are usually treated as annuals, and are a mass of bloom within a few weeks after seed is planted. Excellent for cutting. As a rule, they survive the winter if given slight protection, flowering shandartly the following season ing abundantly the following season.

CHINESE, Double. Sometimes called Indian Pinks. Handsome clusters of very double flowers; many bright colors. Pkt., 5c.

FIREBALL. Large, double; rich, blood-red; splendid for cutting or as a border. Pkt., 10c.

HEDDEWIGI, Giganteus (Large Flowered Single Japanese Pinks). Flowers 2 to 3 inches in diameter; borne very profusely and make a wonderful show in beds or borders. range of colors includes many shades of pink, rose and also pure white, and many marked with rose and red centers or edges. Pkt., 8c.

HEDDEWIGI, Double (Double Japanese Pinks). A fine mixture of colors, varying from the richest velvety crimson to the most delicate rose. Pkt., 10c.

LACINIATUS, Double Mixed. Flowers very large and double and the edges of the petals are exquisitely fringed and laciniated. A fine mixture of brilliant colors—white, pink, rose, red and maroon shades, with white edges and variegated. Pkt., 10c.

SNOWBALL. Large, double, fringed flowers of pure white. Pkt., 10c.



Datura (Trumpet Flower)

**CARNATIONS** 

MARGARET. These are

deservedly the most popular

Carnations with the amateur,

as they begin flowering in four months after seed is sown.

Sown early, the plants will

bloom during the late summer

and early fall, and by repeated

sowings they may be had in

bloom all winter long if grown

in the conservatory or greenhouse. If slightly protected

they will survive an ordinary

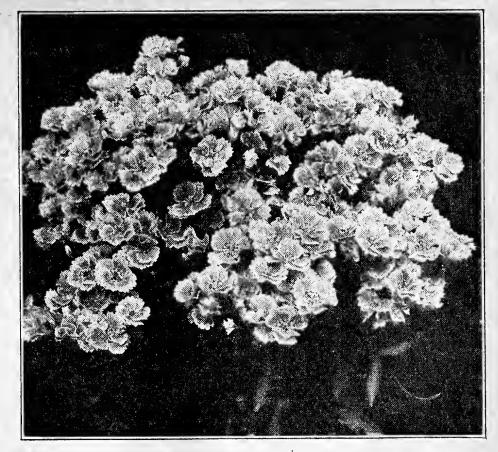
winter out of doors and bloom

the following spring.

## **DATURA**

(Trumpet Flower)

WRIGHTII. The best annual variety. A handsome, hardy plant, 3 feet high, bearing immense trumpet-shaped flowers. The flow-ers are white, tinged with lilac, average about 8 inches in length by 5 inches across, and are delightfully fra-grant. Started early, will bloom from early summer until fall. Easy to grow. Pkt., 10c.



Dianthus Sweet Wivelsfield

## Dianthus Sweet Wivelsfield

(Everblooming Hybrid Sweet William)

A cross between an annual pink and Sweet William, combining the free and continuous blooming qualities of the former and the hardiness of the latter. Good for borders, cut flowers, and especially adapted for rock gardens. While strictly speaking a biennial, it comes into bloom from seed as quickly as an annual. Height, 1 foot. Colors run from intense velvety crimson through the shades of lighter red, rose, light pink and white. Seed in mixture of colors only. Pkt., 15c; 2 pkts., 25c.

## African Daisy

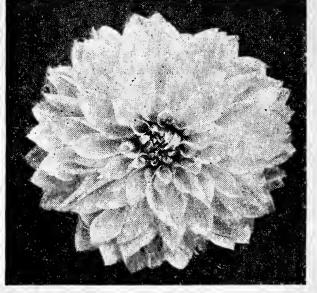
Dimorphotheca, Aurantica Hybrids. Bushy plants, 12 to 15 inches high; flowers more than 2½ inches across. Splendid mixture of all colors from white through various shades of cream, yellow, orange, rose, etc., and many flowers being zoned with several of these colors around darker colored centers. Pkt.,

## DAHLIA SEED

Dahlias are as easily grown from seed as nasturtiums, and will bloom the-first year if seed is sown early.

DOUBLE CACTUS-FLOWERED. Characterized by long, narrow, pointed, tubular and twisted petals of graded lengths, giving the layered flowers a very striking and attractive appearance. Excellent

mixture of the finest varieties. Pkt., 15c.



Decorative Dahlia

DOUBLE DECORATIVE. Flowers full to the center; thick but not ball-shaped, with broad, flat petals. Choice mixture of large flowered varieties. Pkt., 15c.

PEONY-FLOWERED. A very attractive type of Dahlias. Flowers of large size and semi-double form, with a whorl of petals often covering the yellow center. Free blooming and wonderful for garden display or for cutting. Pkt., 15c.

CHOICE DOUBLE. A fine mixture of Decorative, Show and Peony-Flowered varieties. Pkt., 15c.

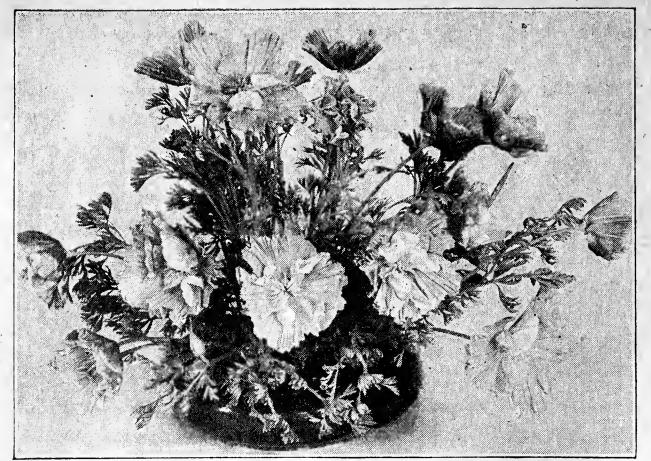
SINGLE MIXED. Exceedingly showy; a blaze of color all the season. Pkt., 10c.

## Burgess' Special Mixture of Dahlia Seed

A select mixture of the finest varieties of Cactus-Flowered, Hybrid-Cactus, Ball or Show type, Decorative and Peony-Flowered, and a few of the most gorgeous of the single varieties. Pkt., 25c.

Margaret Pink. Pkt., 10c. Margaret Scarlet. Pkt., 10c. Margaret White. Pkt., 10c.
Margaret Yellow. Pkt., 10c.
Margaret Mixed. Pkt., 10c.
Four packets, one of each color,

To meet the growing demand for winter bouquets, we **EVERLASTINGS** varieties of annual Everlastings, such as Acroclinium, Straw Flower Aster, Globe Amaranth, Helichrysum, Rhodanthe, Statice, Xeranthemum, etc. You will find each of these varieties described in this catalog. Liberal size mixed packet, 15c; 2 pkts.,



Eschscholtzia Ramona

## Four O'Clock (Marvel of Peru)

(Mirabilis). This is another good oldfashioned flower of bushy habit, bearing hundreds of flowers during the season of white, yellow, crimson and violet. Very charming when used as a hedge plant, rivaling the privet, with its glossy foliage very closely set and dotted all over in the afternoon with a multitude of fairy flowers. It is a little known fact that roots of these may be lifted in the fall and stored like Dahlias and the tubers planted in spring. It will result in larger plants, stronger, and with more flowers. 2 feet. All colors mixed. Pkt., 10c.

## **FREESIAS**

These are well known for their delightful fragrance. Seed should be sown in flats and transplanted after the bulb has formed. Will bloom the first year from seed.

REFRACTA ALBA. White. Pkt., 10c.

RAINBOW HYBRIDS. Very attractive because of their unique colorings and shadings. Pkt., 15c.

## **GILIA**

Very graceful plant, about 2 feet high, with fine feathery foliage. Bears freely over a long season, globular heads about one inch across, of rich blue, yellow and white flowers. Fine for cutting. Pkt., 10c.



Globe Amaranth

## NEW RUFFLED **ESCHSCHOLTZIA**

Eschscholtzia Ramona is the daintiest of the California Poppies. Among the many fancy varieties introduced, Ramona stands out as a distinct and very charming type in the frilled class. It is single, but the frills give it the appearance of a semi-double flower. Ramona Hybrids come in a fine mixture of glistening shades of pink, yellow and white, and are very pleasing to the eye. 2 feet high. This unusually attractive novelty should be included in every collection. Pkt., 15c; 3 pkts., 30c.

## **ESCHSCHOLTZIA** (California Poppy)

A beautiful and brilliant annual with finely cut, blue-green foliage, and glossy flowers of satin-like tex-

ture. One of the most desirable annuals for beds and borders and for cut flowers. Seed should be sown where the plants are to remain, as they do not stand transplanting; require practically no care; and in any sunny position will bloom profusely over a long

CARMINE KING. Deep carmine red. A bed of these in bloom appears like a mass of bright red Tulips. Pkt., 10c.

LARGE YELLOW. Large and beautiful. Pkt., 8c.

ORANGE KING. Rich golden orange. Pkt., 8c.

ROSEA Resutiful rosy pink. Pkt. 10c.

ROSEA. Beautiful rosy pink. Pkt., 10c.
WHITE. Extra fine. Pkt., 8c.
MIXED. A choice mixture of all colors. Pkt., 10c.

## Gypsophila (Baby's Breath)

WHITE. A quick-growing annual, bearing a profusion of small, open, bell-shaped flowers. Grows 10 to 15 inches tall. Extensively grown by florists for use in mixed bouquets. Pkt., 5c.

ROSE. Similar in shape and size, but with flowers of dainty bright rose

color. Pkt., 5c.



**Evening Primroses** 

## **EVENING PRIMROSE (Oenothera)**

Elegant for a sunny position in the border or rockery, flowering freely the greater part of the summer. LAMARCKIANA. Large flowered, yellow. Pkt., 10c. ROSEA. Dwarf; carmine-rose. Pkt., 10c.

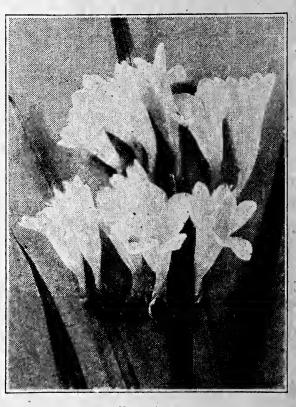
## **GLOBE AMARANTH**

Everlasting Bachelor's Button

A popular everlasting or strawflower. Our mixture includes a fine range of colors, including white, shades of pink, lilac, and the rich bronzy-yellow tones deserve particular mention. Plants 2 feet tall, and are literally covered with button-shaped flowers which measure nearly \( \frac{1}{4} \)-inch in diameter. Pkt., 10c.

## Climbing Foxglove

(Lophospermum Scandens). An exceedingly handsome half-hardy climber; 10 feet; velvety foliage; large rosy-purple flowers. Pkt., 10c.



Freesias

# New Azalea-Flowered Godetias

## Wonderful Flowers that Rival the Loveliest Potted Azaleas

of all the hardy annuals for garden decoration, Godetias are unsurpassed for the brilliant effect they produce in beds and borders. The new Dwarf Azalea-Flowered varieties are also highly recommended for pot culture. For outdoor culture, the seed may be sown in the garden, the same as asters. When thinned to about a foot apart each plant makes a compact bush about a foot high. The big beautiful blossoms are produced in such profusion as to just about hide the plant. It is surely a revelation, and you will be surprised and delighted. They are especially recommended for shady locations where many other flowers will not bloom. We have the three following varieties to offer

DWARF DOUBLE AZALEA-FLOW-ERED, CARMINEA. Pink with crimson blotched center. So free flowering that when it is in full flower it is nothing but bloom. May be called an annual Azalea.

Pkt., 15c; 2 pkts., 25c.

DWARF DOUBLE AZALEA-FLOWERED, CORNELIA. Same as above, ex-

cept that flowers are of delicate salmon color. Pkt., 15c; 2 pkts., 25c.

DWARF DOUBLE AZALEA-FLOW-ERED, BRILLIANT. A gorgeous new variety with large flowers of dark crimson. Pkt., 15c; 2 pkts., 25c.

Special—3 packets, one each of the above three varieties, 35c.



Dwarf Double Azalea-Flowered Godetia Carminea

## GODETIA (Satin Flower)

Beautiful, hardy annual about one foot high; blooms profusely; showy flowers of satiny texture, in many rich and varied shades ranging from light pink and white to flery rose, carmine, mauve and blood red, and 3 to 4 inches across. Not recommended for hot locations; do best in poor soil. This seed is a fine mixture of colors, but does not contain any of the new Azalea-Flowered varieties. Pkt., 10c.

## ANNUAL GAILLARDIA (Blanket Flower)

Remarkable for the profusion, size and brilliancy of their flowers, continuing in bloom from early summer until November. Excellent for beds, borders, or for cutting. A fine range of colors, from creamy-white and yellow shades to orange and crimson, both single and double. A fine mixture. Pkt., 5c.

GOLD STAR (Bartonia Aurea)
A very showy annual; beautiful yellow blossoms measuring 2½ inches across; gray foliage, covered with a mass of soft white hairs, giving the whole plant a downy appearance. 18 inches. Thrives anywhere and blooms continually throughout summer and fall. Pkt., 10c.

## ICHRYSUM (Straw Flower)

Monstrosum. The largest of the Everlastings. Beautiful Aster-shaped flowers that when dried retain much of their original shape and splendor. Popular for winter decorations, for which purpose the blossoms should be cut when about one-third open, tied in small bunches, and dried slowly in a cool, shady place, hanging the flowers downward to keep the stems straight. We can supply seed in the following separate colors. Fire Red, Golden Yellow, Crimson-Purple, Rose-Pink, Salmon-Rose, White. Pkt., 10c; 6 pkts. (one of each color), 40c. All colors mixed: Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.



Apple, Calabash Pipe, Dipper, Dish Cloth, Nest Egg, Orange, Pear-Shaped, and Sugar Trough. Your choice of these varieties at 10c per packet; 8 packetsone of each variety-50c.

Mixed Varieties. A fine mixture or rare, userui and ornamental varieties. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.

## **Ornamental** Grasses

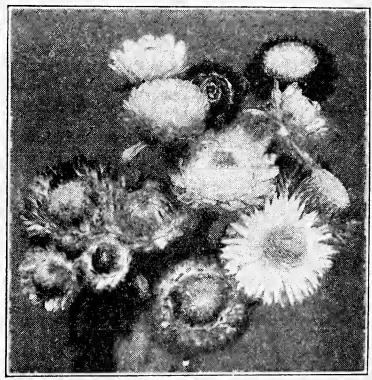
Most useful for winter bouquets when combined with Everlastings or Straw Flowers. Easily grown in any soil. A nice mixture of the finest varieties. Pkt., 10c.



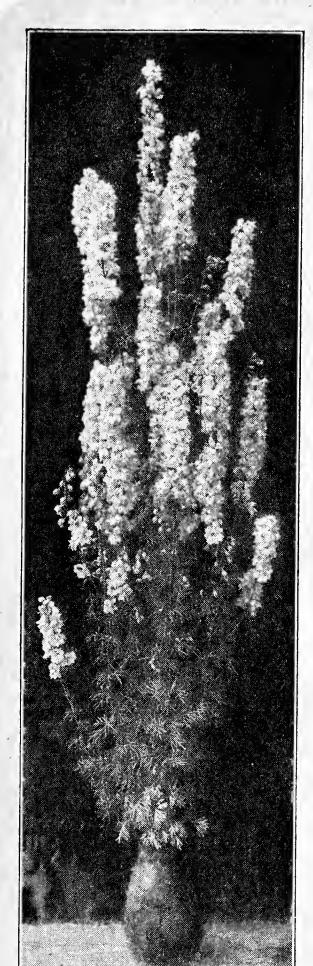
**Ornamental Gourds** 



Annual Gaillardia



Helichrysum (Straw Flower)



Larkspur Exquisite Pink Improved

# Burgess' Choice Larkspurs

(Annual Delphinium)

The Larkspur (Annual Delphinium) is among the best known garden flowers, and in recent years a vast improvement has been effected by careful selection in size and color of the blossoms and the general habit of the plant. Seed sown in the open ground before the close of April will produce flowering plants by the beginning of July, and give a continuous succession of flowers from then until frost, a record that is not surpassed by any other annual. They make handsome beds, and their free, graceful habit and bright colors are very effective when interspersed in the flower or shrubbery border. They keep well when cut, and a vase of one or mixed colors is indeed charming.

## Larkspur Exquisite Pink Improved

A new strain with a wonderfully improved form. It is of upright habit similar to the perennial Delphinium, and best of all, it comes practically 100% true. The color is a beautiful soft pink shaded salmon. 2½ feet tall. It is, without doubt, the finest Larkspur ever introduced. Pkt., 15c.

## Stock-Flowered Larkspur

In form and size surprisingly like the perennial varieties. They grow 2 to 3 feet tall with numerous long, graceful flower spikes. Flowers are uniformly double. Dark Blue, Light Blue, Lilac, Rosy-Scarlet, White. Separate colors or mixed, 10c per packet; 3 pkts., 25c; 5 pkts., 35c.

## Hyacinth-Flowered Larkspur

These differ from the Stock-Flowered in form; are short, thick and stocky. The flowers are large, very double and borne on spikes resembling a double Hyacinth. Pink, Light Blue, White. Separate colors or mixed, 10c per packet; 3 pkts., 25c.

## HYACINTH BEAN (Dolichos)

PURPLE SOUDAN. A rapid growing climber for sunny situations. 8 to 10 feet. Stems purplish-red; red and purple shades in the leaves. Long

spikes of pea-like flowers of deep reddish maroon, followed by beautiful metallic purple seed pods. Pkt., 5c.

Princess Helen. Pure white form of above; green foliage.

Bush Hyacinth Bean. A bush form of the Hyacinth Bean. Magnificent flower spikes that grow from 10 to 15 inches above foliage. Grown in the place of Sweet Peas in some localities where Sweet Peas do not do well. Will stand extreme heat and other unfavorable weather conditions. We can supply seed in two colors. Pink. Pkt., 10c. White. Pkt., 10c.

HIBISCUS AFRICANUS

cream-colored blossoms, dark purple center. 2 feet. Pkt., 8c.

ICE PLANT Fine trailing plant for borders and hanging baskets, and valuable for dry, sunny situations on banks, rockwork, old walls, etc. Foliage very ornamental, being covered with ice-like globules. Pkt., 5c.

IPOMOPSIS (Tree Cypress.) A handsome plant with a fine feathery foliage like Cypress Vine.

It has long spikes of very beautiful, dazzling scarlet, fine spotted flowers. Will thrive in any soil. Pkt., 8c.

JAPANESE HOP (Humulus

cus), Variegated-Leaved. A rapid climber; one of the best plants for covering verandas, trellises, etc. The large handsome leaves are beautifully variegated, green and yellow, and make a dense covering. Pkt., 10c.

JOB'S TEARS Curious and ornamental. Seeds used for beads and ornamental purposes. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c.

KOCHIA (BURING BUSH OR SUMMER CYPRESS.) This beautiful bush grows about 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet in height and resembles a closely trimmed ornamental evergreen. May be grown singly or in the form of a hedge or background. In early fall the entire bush turns bright scarlet. Pkt., 10c.

LINUM Grandiflorum Rubrum (Crimson Flax). One of the most effective and showy bedding plants, having fine foliage and delicate stems, with brilliant scarlet-crimson flowers. 1 foot. Pkt., 5c.

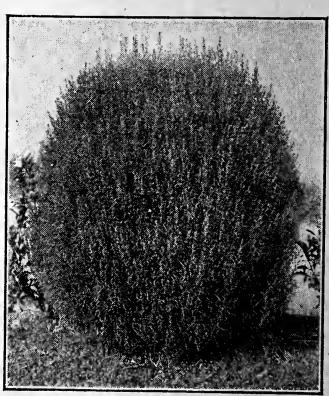
LUPINUS Annual Mixed. Free-flowering, easily grown annuals, with long graceful spikes of rich blue, rose and white pea-shaped flowers; valuable for mixed borders, beds, and for cutting; prefer a little shade. 2 feet. Pkt., 5c.

MIGNONETTE

Sweet. The old variety with small spikes, but very sweet scented. Pkt., 5c. Superb Mixed. Many shades and types; very choice. Sowings made in April and again in July will keep up a succession of bloom from early summer until frost; can also be grown in pots for winter and early spring flowering. Pkt., 10c.



Ipomopsis '



Kochia (Burning Bush)

# Marigolds

Favorite free-flowering annuals of easy culture and extremely effective in large beds or mixed borders. Succeed best in full exposure to the sun. Fine for cut flowers.

PRIMROSE QUEEN. A wonderful new variety with mammoth, very double, quilled flowers of a delightful shade of creamy primrose with a touch of gold. No doubt the choicest of the large flowered Marigolds. Pkt., 15c.

LEMON QUEEN. An African Marigold with large, perfect, double, quilled flowers of soft lemon yellow. 3 feet high. Pkt., 10c.

PRINCE OF ORANGE. A counterpart of Lemon Queen except in color, which is deep golden orange. Pkt., 10c.
GIANT AFRICAN DOUBLE, Mixed.
Large flowered varieties in mixture of colors. Pkt., 10c.

DOUBLE DWARF FRENCH. Few annuals are as effective or flower for so long a period. 10 to 12 inches. A fine mixture of lemon-yellow, golden-yellow and rich, mahogany-brown shades. Pkt., 10c.

LEGION OF HONOR. A single flowering Marigold, forming bushes 9 inches high. Begin flowering in June, continuing until frost. Golden yellow, with large spot of velvety crimson at the base of each petal. Pkt., 10c.



Guinea Gold

Carnation Flowered Marigold

This is a distinct type of graceful pyramidal habit, growing 2 to 21/2 feet high, and producing 30 to 40 semi-double flowers, 2 to 21/2 inches across, of a brilliant golden color. This variety produces no single flowers, and the characteristic Marigold odor is less pronounced. An outstanding novelty. Pkt., 15c; 2 pkts., 25c.



Moonflower

## Moonflower

SCENTED SWEET GIANT FLOWERED. A rapid climber, reaching a height of 20 to 30 feet; foliage very dense. Every evening, and on cloudy days the vines are

covered with immense white flowers, many measuring 6 inches across. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.

PINK HYBRID. Large flowers of beautiful lavender pink color. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c. MOONFLOWER, MIXI Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c. MIXED. A mixture of pink and white varieties.

## Mexican Fire Plant (Annual Poinsettia)

(EUPHORBIA HETEROPHYLLA). variety of Poinsettia which grows quickly to a height of 2½ to 3 feet from seed sown in the open during May. About the middle of summer the top central leaves turn to rich orange-scarlet, similar to the famous greenhouse variety of Poinsettia which is so popular about Christmas time. A blaze of glory throughout the summer and fall. Can also be grown as a house plant. Pkt.,



Mexican Fire Plant

## LINARIA

Giant African Marigold

## A Wonderful Annual for Cut Flowers

MAROCCANA HYBRIDA EXCEL-SIOR, Mixed. This is a hardy annual with small dainty flowers resembling miniature Antirrhinums and in addition each flower has a long Columbine-like spur. It makes a nice cut flower and the colors range through crimson and gold, pink, mauve, dark blue, chamois and rose, with many lighter art shades. Height from 12 to 18 inches, and it blooms in about eight weeks from seed. Pkt., 10c.





**Nasturtiums** 

# Nasturtiums

For ease of culture and duration of bloom, brilliancy of coloring and general excellence, nothing excels Nasturiums. All they need is moderately good soil in well-drained, sunny position, and from within a few weeks after seed is sown until hard frost comes there is an endless profusion of their gorgeous blossoms.

DWARF MIXED. A fine mixture of all colors and kinds; yellow, rose, crimson, scarlet, brown, spotted, striped and splashed. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;

DWARF IVY-LEAVED. Flowers well up above the foliage, and beautifully fringed at edges. Blossom in greater profusion than any other variety of Nasturtium and remarkable for their colors and color combinations not found in any other strains; foliage having a marked resemblance to that of the hardy English Ivy. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c.

## Double Sweet-Scented Nasturtium

GOLDEN GLEAM. This Double Sweet-Scented Nasturtium was introduced last year, and proved to be the finest thing in Nasturtiums ever

The plants form vigorous, large bushes, and when fully developed send out short runners about 18 inches in length. The neatly formed plants are covered with a mass of large, golden yellow, semi-double flowers 2½ to 3 inches across. When well grown the flowers have the appearance of being fully double. They are borne on erect, stiff stems, six inches in

length and stand well above the foliage, leaving the foliage practically hidden and producing a blaze of

As a bedding plant Golden Gleam is unsurpassed. In the greenhouse, plants may be forced, as Sweet Peas are, for early cut flower sales. The neat compact habit and early appearance of flowers make it an excellent pot plant. The short runners, which also bear numerous flowers, add to the usefulness of the plant for window boxes, or the runners can be pinched back as soon as they appear, and a rounded mass of golden flowers will be the result. An ordinary sized bouquet, when allowed to remain in a room for a short time, will fill the room with a most delightful fragrance. Pkt., 15c; 2 pkts.,



Double Sweet-Scented Golden Gleam Nasturtium

DWARF VARIEGATED LEAVED. Handsome foliage plant with flowers of many bright colors. Each leaf is in a different degree beautifully marked with yellow, white and green, so that the plants would be worthy of culture almost for the foliage alone. Very showy and blooms freely and continuously. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c.

TALL IVY-LEAVED. Fine fringed petals; colors intense and very striking; ivy-like foliage and vines exceedingly graceful. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c.

TALL VARIEGATED-LEAVED. Light green foliage, beautifully marbled and blotched with white. Makes a striking vine with its bright blossoms of many colors. Pkt., 8c; oz., 20c.

TALL MIXED. Our special mixture contains all the choicest colors and many kinds and types of Tall Nasturtiums. Pkt., 5c; oz., 12c; ½ lb., 35c.



Morning Glory

## Morning Glory

DOUBLE MIXED. Double and semi-double Pkt., 8c.

DWARF. Valuable for beds and borders; also as a winter-blooming house plant. 10 to 12 inches tall. Will thrive anywhere as long as they get plenty of sunshine. A fine mixture of colors. Pkt., 5c.

BRAZILIAN. Rich, rose-colored blooms 3 inches across; very showy and free blooming. As a quick growing vine it has no equal, covering an enormous space in a short time. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.

JAPANESE IMPERIAL. This is a particularly

attractive variety with large, deeply lobed leaves. The flowers are much larger than ordinary Morning Glories. The colors run from snow white through all possible shades of blue and red, from palest pink to darkest reds and purples, and streaked, mottled and bordered in wonderful fashion. Pkt., 8c.

JAPANESE EXTRA LARGE, or GIANTS. A superior strain of Japanese Imperial; extraordinary fine colors and gigantic in size, measuring more than 6 inches across. Pkt., 15c; 2 pkts., 25c.

JAPANESE FANCY FRINGED. A choice strain of Japanese Morning Glories with fringed and ruffled flowers. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.

SUPERB MIXED. All the plain colors, variegated, mottled and striped. This mixture contains none of the above varieties, but is a fine mixture of the old-fashioned sorts. Very hardy, so can be planted earlier and will begin to bloom earlier than the Japanese varieties. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c.

## LAVATERA (Annual Mallow)

TRIMESTRIS MIXED. The showy flowers and large downy leaves of these annual Mallows produce a most decorative effect in beds, hedges and background borders. The bushy plants grow to a height of 2½ to 3 ft. The large cup-shaped flowers of charming white, pink, and rose colors measure 2 to 4 inches across. They bloom profusely during the entire summer and fall. Spikes of these richly colored flowers, 2 feet in length, make long keeping cut flowers, as the buds continue to expand in water. In habit they are rather spreading, but this is an advantage as they may be sown late to fill vacant spots following spring flowers. Mixture of colors, 10c per packet; 3 pkts., 25c.

## **NICOTIANA**

### Affinis Hybrids

Compact bush, about 3 feet; blooms all summer. and fall; delightfully sweet-scented, tube-shaped white, purple, red, salmon, pink and violet flowers which will fill a whole garden with their fragrance. Easily grown from seed, and cuttings rooted in September will bloom freely in the winter. Fine mixture. Pkt., 10c.

# Burgess' Choice Petunias

For outdoor decoration, porch or window boxes, few plants equal the Petunia in effectiveness. They commence flowering early and continue a sheet of bloom until killed by frost.

## Giant Flowering Varieties

GIANT FLOWERED HYBRIDS. A wonderful assortment of colors; mainmoth in size; single. Pkt., 15c.

GIANT FRINGED. Flowers of extraordinary size, deeply fluted, ruffled and fringed; varied and brilliant colors. Pkt., 20c.

DOUBLE GIANT FRINGED. An excellent, carefully hand-pollenized strain yielding a large percentage of plants having double, finely fringed flowers. Embracing a splendid variety of colors and many beautiful combinations. Seed in mixture of colors only. Small pkt., 30c; 3 pkts., 75c. Plants, in separate colors—purple, white, magenta, pink and variegated—at 30c each; 3 for 85c; or 5 for \$1.35.

TRIUMPH OF THE GIANTS. The largest and finest single Petunia. Flowers often measure 7 inches across. A variety of gorgeous colors and markings that is unsurpassed. Pkt., 25c.

## **Balcony Petunias**

A most valuable type of Petunias for porch boxes, hanging baskets, beds, terraces, or among rockwork. Individual blossoms measure 3 inches in diameter and they are borne so profusely as to cover the plants throughout the season.

We offer this seed in mixture of colors only, our mixture containing the most popular colors, such as rich velvety purple, brilliant rose-pink, pure white, etc. Pkt., 15c.,

## Single Bedding Petunias

Countess of Ellesmere. Rose with white throat. Pkt., 10c. General Dodds. Velvety blood red. Pkt., 10c.

Howard Star. Attractively marked with a fivepointed white star on purplish crimson ground. Pkt., 10c.

GOOD MIXED. A splendid mixture of single bedding varieties. Pkt., 10c.

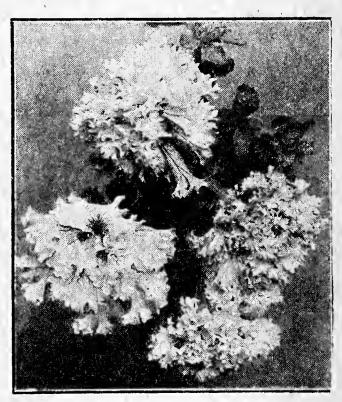
## ORNAMENTAL COTTON

Many people in the North have never seen cotton growing. As it is by far a more beautiful plant than many of the ornamentals and can be successfully grown in the North for ornamental purposes, it makes a very desirable addition to any flower garden; large, showy flowers, followed by large fluffy balls of white cotton. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 20c.

Tropaeloides. An excellent little plant for edging or pots; blooms all summer in the greatest profusion; yellow flowers, rich brown foliage. Pkt., 10c.



Petunia Triumph of the Giants



Double Giant Fringed Petunia

Double Portulaca

## **PORTULACA**

Double Rose Flowered. Unsurpassed for brilliancy and beauty. Seed saved from perfect double nowers, so will produce a large percentage of double blossoms. A fine mixture of Scarlet, Orange-Scarlet, Rose, Golden Yellow, White, etc. Pkt., 10c.

Single Giant Flowered. One of the showiest low annuals, of easy culture, thriving best in light loam or sandy soil and in a sunny situation. Fine for massing in beds, edgings or rock-work, and frequently used to sow broadcast over sunny banks, etc. 6 inches. Flowers in mixture of the richest colors. Pkt., 5c.

# MOLTEN FIRE The Brightest Colored Foliage Plant

Foliage Plant This is a most magnificent foliage plant and is attracting a great deal of attention wherever grown. It belongs to the Amaranthus family, and grows fapidly, attaining a height of 3 feet. It has handsome bronze foliage until it reaches a height of about 2 feet, when the leaves change to clear, glistening, fiery rose-crimson, increasing in size and brilliancy until the whole plant is illuminated with huge tufts of flaming fire which can be seen for half a mile. Retain their brilliancy for 3 months or more. Very easily grown. Pkt., 15c.

## Phlox Drummondi (Annual Phlox)

The annual Phlox is one of the most brilliant and one of the easiest and most satisfactory plants which can readily be grown from seed. It will grow and thrive in any kind of soil if given a sunny position. In a few weeks after the seed is sown the plants are a sheet of bloom, remaining so until frost. They show to best advantage when grown in masses, beds or borders; excellent for cut flowers.

The following colors are of the finest type, having the largest heads of blooms as well as the largest individual flowers, of strong, sturdy growth, attaining a height of about 15 inches.

Brilliant Scarlet. Pkt., 8c. Deep Rose. Pkt., 8c. Soft Shell-Pink. Pkt., 8c.

Yellow. Pkt., 8c. Violet-Blue. Pkt., 8c. White. Pkt., '8c.

LARGE-FLOWERING MIXED. All of the above colors as well as a great many others. Pkt., 8c. STAR PHLOX. The flowers are either starred or fantastically fringed. A novel variety; many bright shades; mixed colors. Pkt., 10c.

# Burgess' Annual Poppies

AMERICAN LEGION. A dazzling orange-scarlet of enormous size, borne on long, stout stems. Pkt., 8c.

DOUBLE CARNATION-FLOWERED. Splendid double fringed flowers; mixed colors. Pkt., 5c.

DOUBLE FEATHER BALL (Japanese Chrysanthemum-Flowered). Mammoth globe-shaped, elegantly fringed flowers. Mixed colors.

DOUBLE PEONY-FLOWERED. Large, showy, double globular flowers, resembling a double Peony; mixed colors. Pkt., 5c.

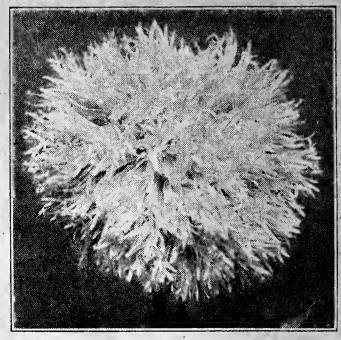
SHIRLEY. The finest single Poppy; beautiful shades of rose, apricot, salmonpink and blush to glowing crimson with a sprinkling of bluish shades. Pkt., 8c.

SCARLET TULIP POPPY. Glowing scarlet, single flowers, carried on stems 12 inches tall. A free flowering variety. Pkt., 8c.

DOUBLE MIXED. Many double sorts mixed. Pkt., 5c.

SINGLE MIXED. Many single sorts mixed. Pkt., 5c.

DOUBLE AND SINGLE MIXED. A fine assortment of all colors; double and single mixed. Pkt., 5c.



Double Feather Ball Poppy

Rhodanthe

## Giant Yellow Tulip Poppy

(Hunnemannia Fumariaefolia). A truly wonderful variety of California Poppy which forms a nice bush, about 21/2 feet tall, bearing large, rich yellow, satiny blooms. This is the best Poppy for cut flowers, keeping in perfect condition in water for several days. Although this is a perennial variety, it is treated as an annual, and begins blooming in a few weeks from sown seed and continues to blossom all summer and fall. Pkt., 10c.

RICINUS (Castor Oil Plant), Giant Zanzibar. From seed of this variety, sown in the open ground in May, the plants are in full foliage early in July. They attain a height of 12 to 14 feet and form a perfect pyramid of foliage and brilliant colored fruit, presenting a beautiful tropical appearance. Enormous leaves, 2 to 4 feet across, and highly colored light and dark green, coppery-bronze and dark green with reddish ribs. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ½ lb., 70c, postpaid.

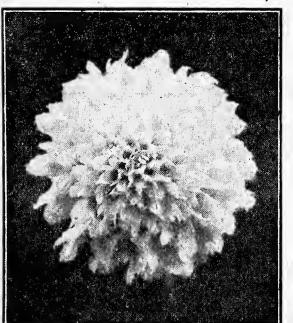
RHODANTHE A variety of Everlasting or Straw Flower with a wealth of red, white and pink blossoms on graceful, slender stems. Its graceful habit makes it a particularly valuable addition to winter bouquets. Succeeds in a light rich soil and a warm sheltered situation; also valuable for pot culture. Pkt., 10c.

### SCHIZANTHUS (Butterfly or Fringe Flower)

One of the daintiest flowers imaginable; especially fine for bordering beds of taller flowers, and as pot plants for the house in late winter and early spring. Seed sown in the spring will produce plants that will come into bloom in a few weeks, and with such loads of charming blooms as to completely obscure the delicate fern-like foliage. If wanted for house plants for winter blooming, sow in the autumn. The plants will quickly grow into compact, rounded bushes, about 2 feet tall. The butterfly-like flowers range in color from pure white through shades of cream and pink to crimson and mauve. Many of the flowers are beautifully marked. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.

## SNOW ON THE MOUNTAIN

(Euphorbia Variegata). One of the finest foliage plants for outdoor planting. Foliage attractively veined and margined with white. 2 feet. Excellent for beds and borders. Pkt., 10c.



New Giant Shasta Scabiosa



Snow on the Mountain

mixture of colors. Pkt., 5c.

excellent cut flower. Pkt., 10c.

New Giant Shasta. A pure white Scabiosa of enormous size, the flowers measuring three and a half inches across, with extremely long stems. Pkt., 10c.

New Giant Peach Blossom. "Highly commended" by the Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. A beautiful shade of peach blossom pink, large size and long stems. An

Schizanthus

## **SCABIOSA**

(Mourning Bride or Pin Cushion Flower). A popular plant; grows about 2½ feet high, producing beautiful flowers of exquisite shades of pink, rose, cherry red, fiery scarlet, white, yellow, amethyst, lavender, light blue, dark blue and purple, the soft shades predominating. Begin blooming early in July, and when given plenty of room and the seed vessels are kept regularly picked off, will continue blossoming through the whole summer. Long stems; blossoms keep well in water. A fine plant for the flower bed; its floral flavors attract all the most beautiful types of butterflies to the neighborhood. Choice

# Salvia (Scarlet Sage)

The Scarlet Sage has long been a favorite bedding plant. We here offer seed of the three finest varieties in cultivation.

AMERICA. This is the earliest, freest and most continuous bloomer of all Scarlet Sages, and the most uniform in habit of growth. The bushy plants do not grow over 15 inches high, with the spikes of brilliant scarlet flowers thrown well above the foliage, making a total height of about 2 feet. The importance of this uniformity will be appreciated by those who use Scarlet Sage for beds or borders. Pkt., 20c; 3 pkts., 50c.

BONFIRE. This is one of the finest of the Scarlet Sages, growing in a compact bush 2 feet high by 2 feet in diameter. Its erect spikes of brilliant scarlet flowers stand clear above the dark green foliage and completely cover the plant. Pkt., 15c; 2 pkts., 25c.

SPLENDENS. This is the largest flowering Scarlet Sage, well-grown plants measuring 3 to 4 feet tall; a scorching scarlet of unsurpassed brilliancy. It does not begin blooming as early as other varieties, so seed should be started as early as possible. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.



Salpiglossis

SALPIGLOSSIS (Velvet Flower). One of the finest annuals, and of easy culture; 18 to 24 inches high; velvety funnel-shaped blossoms in a very large and unusual range of colors, crimson, primrose, purple and gold, rose and gold, scarlet and gold, white and gold, etc. Continually in bloom from midsummer until frost; splendid for cutting. The seed we offer is of the large flowered strain, and extra select. Pkt., 10c.

## ANNUAL SWEET WILLIAM

The annual Sweet William is almost identical with the perennial varieties in form of flowers, rich and dainty coloring and fragrance, but unlike the perennials which do not bloom until the following year, these being annuals, blossom the same year the seed is sown. Pkt., 10c.



Salvia

# Stocks

The stock is one of the most popular annuals, either for bedding or pot culture. For brilliancy and diversity of color, fragrance, profusion and duration of bloom it is unsurpassed.

## Mammoth Early Branching Nice

This variety is now recognized as the most valuable of all Stocks for cutting purposes and the most popular for general use. If sown early, they come into flower as early as Dwarf Ten Weeks varieties; the flowers are larger, and the branching habit renders them invaluable for florists. We can supply select seed of the following separate colors:

Apple Blossom, white tinted pink.
Belle of Naples, old rose.
Bright Violet, fine rich violet.
Canary Yellow.

Crimson King, brilliant crimson.

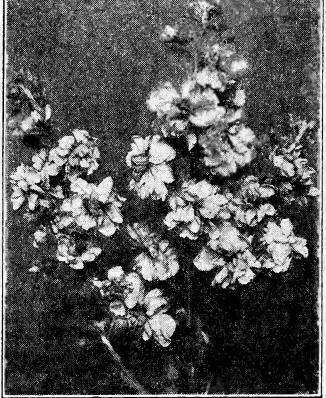
Heatham Beauty, rose mauve, shaded terra cotta.

Light Blue.
Mont Blanc, pure white.
Rose Queen, brilliant deep rose.
Mixed, a choice mixture of all colors and

Your choice of above at 10c per packet; 3 pkts., 25c; 9 pkts., 60c.

## Large-Flowering Double Dwarf Ten Weeks

A satisfactory strain of stocks for all purposes. Extra large flowers. A fine mixture of colors, including white, rose, blood red, yellow, lilac, lavender, blue and purple. Pkt., 8c.



Stocks

## **EVENING SCENTED STOCKS (Perfume Plant)**

Matthiola Bicornis. No annual in cultivation, even including the Mignonette, surpasses this in the delicate perfume of its flowers. The pink and lilac blossoms are partially closed during the day, but expand and produce their fragrance in the evening. A few plants growing will exhale a delicious perfume which may be detected half a block or more away. Pkt., 10c.

SENSITIVE ROSE (Mimosa Pudica). An interesting plant which will fold its foliage when touched. Beautiful, fluffy, pinkish-white flowers. Pkt., 8c.



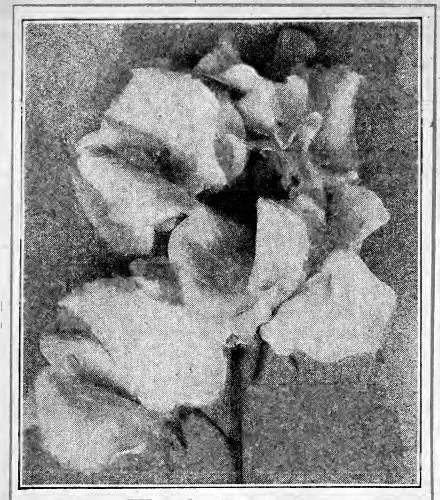
Chrysanthemum-Flowered Sunflower

## **SUNFLOWERS**

Double Chrysanthemum-Flowered. Rich golden-yellow; double as a Chrysanthemum and as large as a man's hat. 7 feet. Pkt., 10c; oz., 35c.

Red Sunflower. A unique and gorgeous novelty; plants grow branchingly, 3 to 4 feet high, and bloom freely. Flowers of different shades of red and red margined with yellow; ranging from 2 to 5 inches in diameter. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.

Mammoth Russian. The largest variety of Sunflower, single heads measuring 12 to 22 inches in diameter, and containing an immense quantity of seed, which is highly valued as a food for poultry, being one of the best egg producing foods known. Pkt., 10c; ¼ lb., 15c; lb., 35c.



# Fluffy Ruffles THE NEW GIANT RUFFLED SWEET PEA

A great, big flower, vigorous and free-blooming. A new type, duplexed and frilled with long-stemmed, well-proportioned sprays of four almost globular flowers. No other Sweet Pea exhibits such a consistent doubling and ruffling of its petals. Twelve sprays make a more massive bunch than eighteen sprays of an ordinary Spencer Sweet Pea.

A lovely rich rose-pink, a gleam of soft salmon, and a bright creamy undertone blend into a har-monious cream-pink shade that must be seen to be appreciated. A flower of exquisite texture and fraappreciated. A nower of exquisite texture and fragrance. The vines make a sturdy growth and bear a profusion of blooms. Each flower stem carries four fully developed blooms, artistically arranged. Ideal for bunching. The highest achievement yet attained in the most glorious of annuals of Fluffy Ruffles—the Ruffled Sweet Pea. Pkt., 15c; ½ oz., 30c; oz., 50c.

Ruffled Mixed

A fine mixture including Fluffy Ruffles and several other ruffled varieties not yet introduced. Pkt., 15c; ½ oz., 30c; oz., 50c.

## Special Offer

.20 packets Burgess' Prize Spencer Sweet Peas—one of each of the above described varieties—for only \$1.00.

10c per packet; 3 pkts., 20c; 7 pkts., 40c; oz., 25c. BURGESS' SELECTED MIXTURE OF SPENCERS is the most gorgeous mixture of Spencer's ever offered. It contains the cream of the named Spencer varieties, including many recent novelties and superb new seedlings not yet introduced. It is the very best blend possible to produce and will surely delight all who want a grand variety of shades and colors. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 65c.

## Early Flowering Spencer Sweet Peas

Our Early Flowering Strain of Spencer Sweet Peas is the result of more than ten years' careful scientific work. These varieties will not flower as freely and continuously as the late sorts, but will begin flowering from one to three weeks sooner, which is a decided advantage where early blooms are an important consideration. They are invaluable to florists for green house culture; for outdoor planting in sections of the Southern States where later varieties cannot be successfully grown; and for early blooms in cool climates. A choice mixture of all shades and colors. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 25c; oz., 40c; ¼ lb., \$1.25.

## Standard Varieties Mixed

This mixture of Sweet Peas is the best of the old standard or Grandiflora varieties; a fine mixture of all colors and shades. There are no Spencers in this mixture. While it is our cheapest mixture and cannot be compared to the Spencer varieties, it is the best for the money that can be given. Pkt., 5c; oz., 12c; 1/4 lb., 35c.

## Cupid or Dwarf Sweet Peas

The Cupid or Dwarf Sweet Peas are excellent for bedding and borders; form a line of emerald green foliage a little over a foot wide and 6 inches high, and from June until late summer are literally a sheet of bloom. All the best colors and shades mixed. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 20c; oz., 35c.

# SWEET PEAS

It is not difficult to grow fine Sweet Peas, even in our trying climate. The secret of success lies in getting ar early start and by thorough soil preparation, insuring a strong, deep root-growth to keep the plants well supplied with water. If you want to grow the largest and finest blossoms, start as early in the spring as the soil can be

Choose an open location and dig a trench 1½ feet deep and a foot wide. Mix with the soil a liberal quantity of fertilizer (sheep manure with a little bonemeal is an excellent combination). Refill the trench with this mixture to within 6 inches of the top. Scatter the seed about an inch apart on this layer and cover them with 2 inches of soil. When the plants are 4 to 6 inches tall, gradually fill in around them until the top of the trench is reached By this method the roots are assured a plentiful supply of food in the dryest spells.

The vines may be supported with brush, strings, wire or any handy form of trellis that will allow free circulation of air. Of course, good Sweet Peas can be grown without trenching, but extra attention is always well repaid with larger flowers, more of them, and a longer blooming season. Keep the flowers picked and the vines will bear

Burgess' Prize Spencer Sweet Peas

The old-fashioned grandiflora varieties are now superseded by this wonderful type, which is quite distinct, having large, round open flowers of extraordinary size, usually measuring two inches across with wavy standards and wide-spreading wings, a very large percentage bearing four of these immense blossoms to the stem, which is long and strong, making them of exceptional value for cutting. Our list has been carefully revised and contains nothing but sorts of the highest merit.

BARBARA. Lovely soft salmon. CHARITY. Rich brilliant crim-

CHERUB. Rich cream, edged

ELEGANCE. Blush-lilac. HAWLMARK CERISE. Rosecerise on cream.

HEBE. Luminous clear pink. KING WHITE. Pure white. MAMMOTH. Blazing oran

scarlet. MARY PICKFORD. Dainty cream-

pink, suffused salmon.

MRS. TOM JONES. Delphinium

blue.

PRESIDENT HARDING. Peach

PEGGY. Brilliant cerise, flushed

POWERSCOURT. Pure lavender.

bright orange.

RENOWN. Rich rosy carmine. ROYAL PURPLE. Rich purple. SUNSET. Bright rose, amber

ground. TANGERINE IMPROVED. Fiery orange.

VALENTINE. Light shell pink WARRIOR. Bronzy maroon. YOUTH. White, rose-pink edge.

PRICES: Your choice of any of these Prize Spencer varieties at



Cupid or Dwarf Sweet Peas

## STATICE (Sea Pink)

Statice Sinuata is not only one of the most beautiful flowers for the border, but dries retaining its true color, which makes it one of the most valuable of Everlastings. Indispensable in making winter bouquets.

Sinuata, Deep Blue. Pkt., 10c.

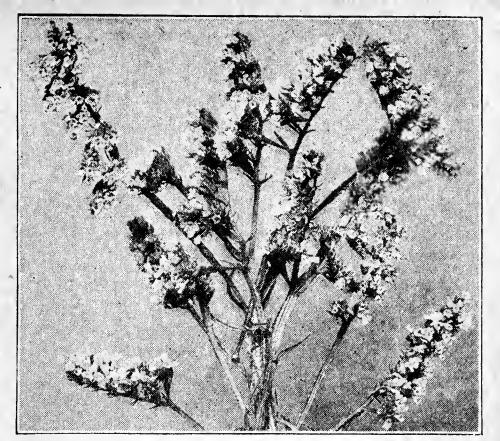
Sinuata, Deep Rose. Pkt., 10c.

Sinuata, Mixed Colors. Blue and Rose. Pkt., 10c.

SILENE Armeria (Catchfly). A very showy early-flowering hardy annual about one foot in height, bearing in quantity, heads of beautiful white, pink and red flowers. Any garden soil is suited to growing these free-blooming, showy plants, but they do best if not given too much care. Pkt., 5c.

## VIRGINIA STOCKS

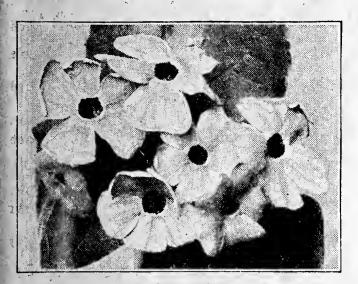
An annual which finds a hearty welcome in most town and suburban gardens. Of branching, dwarf habit rarely exceeding 6 inches in height. The flowers which are freely produced are of various shades of crimson, rose, lilac, and white and if seeds are sown at intervals of a month or so from March onward, a constant succession of blossoms will be assured from May to autumn. The flowers possess a delightful fragrance, especially after a shower of rain. The Virginia Stock is suitable for massing in small beds, or as edgings to borders, and thrives in ordinary soil in sun or shade. Pkt., 10c.



Statice Sinuata

# THUNBERGIA (Black Eyed Susan) An elegant, graceful, slender annual climber preferring a warm, sunny situa-

An elegant, graceful, slender annual climber preferring a warm, sunny situation; excellent for hanging baskets and ground covers. Bright yellow, buff, white and orange flowers, with dark eyes. Of quick growth, blooming profusely from June until October. 4 feet. Pkt., 10c.



Thunbergia (Black Eyed Susan)

## XERANTHEMUM

A charming Everlasting with flowers measuring 1½ inches in diameter. The blooms come in white and various shades of pink, rose and red. The plants grow about 2 feet tall and bear a profusion of blooms from July until frost. Easily dried for winter. Pkt., 10c.

## WHITLAVIA

(California Canterbury Bell), Gloxinioides Blue. Flowers resemble s mall Gloxinias; deep lavender-blue with white throat. I ft. high. A very attractive and pretty annual which, if better known, would be grown more ex-

tensively. Worthy of a trial in every garden. Pkt., 10c.



Burgess' Mammoth Verbenas

## **Burgess Mammoth Verbenas**

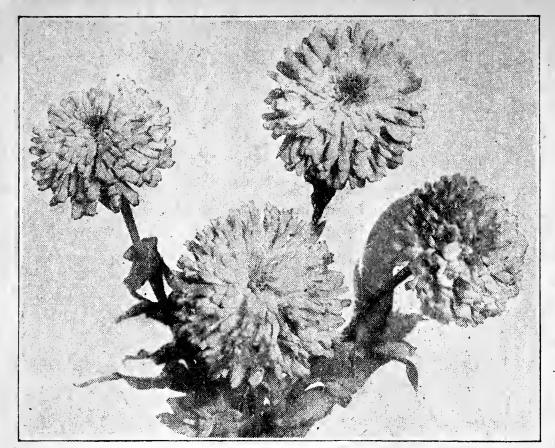
Our strain of mammoth Verbenas has been carefully selected and improved until we can recommend it as the best procurable. The trusses and individual flowers are of large size, of brilliant colors, free-blooming and of vigorous habit. The Verbena is one of the most popular garden annuals and lends itself willingly to many uses. For beds, borders and window boxes it is particularly fine, and is frequently used for an undergrowth to tall plants like lilies, etc. The clusters of showy flowers are borne in constant succession from June until frost. We offer the following colors: Blue, Scarlet, Pink, White, Yellow, Italian Striped. Separate colors or mixed. 10c per packet; 3 pkts., 25c; 6 pkts., 45c. Plants—in mixture of colors only—25c each; 3 for 65c; 12 for \$2.10, postpaid.

## Royal Bouquet Bush Verbena

A new, upright, compact form, growing 15 to 18 inches in height and not more than 10 inches across, with no lateral branches being thrown out. It bears in the utmost profusion, very large, brilliantly colored flowers. The blooms are borne on long stems and group themselves together at the summit of the plant. One great possibility in connection with this valuable introduction is its suitability for growing in pots, a thing which has hitherto been impracticable with Verbenas. The color range is from purest white to pink, red, blue and purple, many flowers being distinctly auricula-eyed. The seed is offered in mixture of colors only. Pkt., 15c; 3 pkts., 30c.



Royal Bouquet Bush Verbena



Pumila Delight Zinnia

## Giant Dahlia-Flowered Zinnia

This type, the latest development in Zinnias, bears flowers of mammoth size and in form like a perfect decorative Dahlia. The plant is a strong grower and flower stems are long and stiff. This remarkable variety includes a complete range of delicate, bright and rich colors from white, yellow, lavender and rose to orange, scarlet and crimson. A wonderful cut flower.

Canary Bird. Brightest canary yellow. Pkt., 10c. Crimson Monarch. Rich crimson-scarlet. Pkt., 10c. Dream. A distinct shade of deep lavender. Pkt., 10c. Exquisite. Rose-pink; deeper rose center. Pkt., 10c. Giant Attraction. Beautiful shade of brick red. Pkt., 10c.

Oriole. Orange, shaded gold. Pkt., 10c.
Polar Bear. The best white Zinnia. Pkt., 10c.

Scarlet Flame. Rich orange-scarlet of dazzling brightness. Pkt., 10c. Finest Mixed. Containing a wonderful range of the above and other beautiful colors. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.

SPECIAL OFFER. Eight packets—one of each of the above separate

## Curled and Crested Zinnia

The petals are elegantly twisted and curled, giving the flower a most attractive appearance. The plant grows 18 inches high by 2 to 21/2 feet in diameter, and blooms freely until killed by severe frost. The colors range from white through many shades of yellow, rose, pink and salmon to deepest crimson. The new Curled and Crested is a grand cut flower which will last a considerable time in water. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.

## Cut and Come Again Zinnia

Double, perfectly formed, medium sized flowers bred with long stems. Fine for massing in the garden and produces a continuous succession of cut flowers throughout the summer. Pkt.. 8c.

## **Dwarf Zinnias**

Dwarf Double Scarlet. Pretty little bushes; covered the entire season with a mass of perfectly double intense scarlet flowers. A most effective border plant, fine for bouquets. Pkt., 8c.

Double Dwarf Mixed. A fine mixture of all colors. Pkt., 8c.

After Season Sales

At the end of our selling season, we generally have a surplus of many kinds of plants, and rather than carry this stock over, we hold a clearance sale beginning May 15th, and make up surplus collections of miscellaneous plants at \$1.50 per collection. In these \$1.50 collections, we give several dollars' worth of plants. All must be strictly our selection. Orders accepted any time before May 15th, and delivery will be made as soon after May 15th as possible. When ordering, state which you want—House Plants, Hardy Perennials, or Shrubbery.

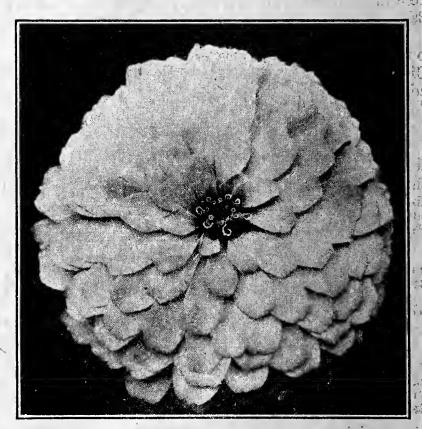
## Pumila Delight

The New Ruffled Zinnia

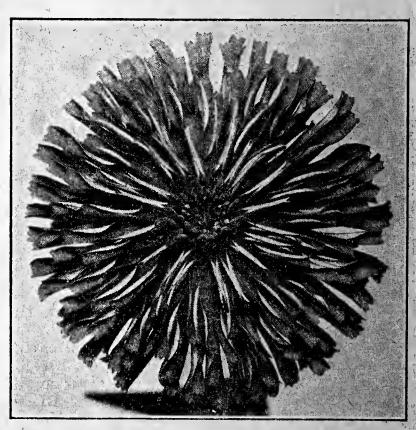
A most striking new variety with medium size flowers of exceptional beauty. The petals of the flowers are ruffled and curled and each petal is outlined by a contrasting color which harmonizes with the body of the flower. The plants are of compact growth and are a mass of blooms, coming into flower early in the season. This is one of the most attractive varieties of Zinnia and the best all around cut flower for basket work. Our seed is from a fine mixture of colors, including salmon shades, cream, buff, golden yellow, lavender, etc. Pkt., 15c.

## Creeping Zinnia

SANVITALIA PROCUMBENS. A lovely freeblooming trailing plant producing a wealth of flowers about 6 weeks after the seed is sown. The plants are of compact, dwarf growth, with branches measuring 8 to 10 inches long. It is particularly suited for dwarf borders. The flowers are fully double, not unlike a small Zinnia in appearance. They are a bright orange-yellow color. Pkt., 10c.



Giant Dahlia-Flowered Zinnia



**Curled and Crested Zinnia** 

# Burgess' Perennial Flowers SEEDS AND PLANTS

Perennials are those which flower several years in succession and are used for permanent plantings. We list with perennials the biennials which are not usually treated as annuals, and those that are in perfection the second year. All varieties listed on this and pages 58 to 69 inclusive are hardy perennials unless otherwise stated. Information relative to the blooming season of different varieties has been secured through tests on our own seed farms here in Michigan.

We take pride in offering our stock of perennial plants to the public because of their superior quality. Our plants are not light grade seedlings offered by so many growers at bargain prices. Nearly all of our perennials are two years old and many of them are older. With very few exceptions they are of blooming age. They are field grown under irrigation, kept free from diseases and insects and carefully selected to be true to name. For best results plant Burgess' high grade perennials.

ALL FLOWER SEEDS AND PLANTS ARE DELIVERED POSTPAID AT PRICES GIVEN.

**ACHILLEA** 

The Achilleas are of very easy culture, thrive in hot dry locations and will grow in poor soil making them desirable for cemetery planting. Fair for cut flowers.

MILLEFOLIUM RUBRUM. 2 ft. June to September. Dense flat heads of ruby red flowers fading to a beautiful rosy-pink. Will do well in shade. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

THE PEARL. 18 inches. June-July. Clusters of pure white double flowers resembling miniature pompon Chrysanthemums. Fine for bouquets. Much used in cemeteries. Pkt., 15c. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

ACONITUM FISCHERI (Aconite or Monks-hood). 2 feet. September-October. Bold spikes of large dark blue hoodshaped flowers, when few perennials are in bloom. Valu-

able for cutting. The hardiest and best of the Aconites—The roots are poisonous and should not be planted where they will be mistaken for garden vegetables. Pkt., 10c. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.75, postpaid.

(Rose Campion) Coronaria, Crimson. 2 ft. June-September. Glowing crimson flowers one inch across, on long, slender stems; velvety silver-white foliage. Pkt., 8c. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.

CORONARIA, MIXED. Like above, except in fine mixture of colors. Bloodred, white and violet flowers. Pkt., 10c.

Allegheny Vine or Climbing Bleeding Heart

(Adlumia or Mountain Fringe). A graceful hardy biennial climber, but as it resows itself year after year, it might be considered perennial. The feathery foliage closely resembles that of the Maidenhair Fern. The flowers are tubeshape, pink, somewhat like the Bleeding Heart, and completely cover the plant. Easily grown, and blooms first year from seed. Pkt., 15c.

ALYSSUM SAXATILE (Gold Dust or Basket of Gold). 1
ft. April—May. Dense clusters of
small golden yellow flowers; gray foliage. Fine for rockery. Very showy.
Pkt., 10c. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.75, postpaid.

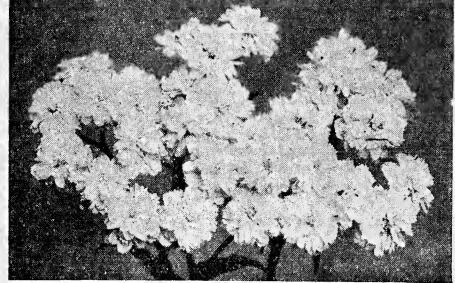
ARTEMISIA SILVER KING
3 ft. Used for the beautiful landscape effect of its

silver-gray foliage from early summer until fall. Excellent for cut flower work and a valuable addition to winter bouquets. It thrives in ordinary soil and requires no care. Forms a symmetrical well-branched bushy plant. Select plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

ANCHUSA ITALICA (Dropmore). 4 to 6 ft. June—September. Clusters of gentian blue flowers on fall bushy plants. Makes an excellent background for the hardy border.

ers on tall bushy plants. Makes an excellent background for the hardy border. Prefers partial shade. Pkt., 10c. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for

**\$1.75**, postpaid. ANEMONE (Windflower). Large double, semi-double and single flowers in a won-derful array of brilliant colors in early spring; few plants compare with them in beauty. Fine for cutting. Pkt., 10c.



Achillea (The Pearl), 25c Each; 12 for \$1.50



Astilbe (Herbaceous Spirea) 40c Each



These handsome, hardy perennial plants are of easiest culture, doing particularly well in a semi-shady situation. They also do well as pot plants. If grown out of doors, the many branched, feathery heads of flowers are produced in abundance during June and July. When grown indoors, they can be forced for winter and early spring blooming. Fine for cutting.

GLADSTONE. Immense pure white flower-trusses on elegant long stems.

Blooming size plants, 40c each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.00, postpaid.

PEACH BLOSSOM. Beautiful peach-blossom pink flowers in magnificent panicles. Blooming size plants, 40c each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.00, postpaid. SPECIAL OFFER—Two Astilbe plants, one each of Gladstone and Peach Blossom, for only 75c, postpaid.



Anemone



Perennial Asters (30c Each; 4 for 75c)

# Hardy Asters

Perennial Asters are among the showiest of our autumn-flowering plants, giving a wealth of bloom during September and October, a season when most other hardy flowers are past. They grow freely in any soil. Valuable for mass garden effect and for decorative purposes. They form tall bushy plants with many branches filled with daisy-like flowers. CLIMAX. 4 to 5 ft. Lavender-blue, 1 to 2 inches in diameter, yellow

centers.

QUEEN MARY. 2 to 3 ft. Blue. An exceedingly pretty new variety

and one of the best. WHITE CLIMAX. 4 to 5 ft. Well branched; pure white conical flower

YPRESS. 3 to 4 ft. Rosy red, well shaped, compact, bushy plants.

Blooming size plants of the above varieties—your selection of varieties—at 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.75, postpaid.

SPECIAL—Four plants, one each of the above four varieties, for only

75c, postpaid. Hardy Aster plants cannot be shipped to California.

## PERENNIAL ASTER SEED

NEW HYBRIDS. A fine mixture of the most choice varieties and finest colors. Seed in mixture of colors only. Pkt., 15c; 2 pkts., 25c.

## ANTHEMIS (Hardy Marguerite)

KELWAYII. Handsome, finely cut, fern-like foliage and beautiful daisy like flowers of clear lemon yellow, in bloom all summer; excellent for cutting. Succeeds in the poorest soil. Needs full sun. One of the most satisfactory hardy perennials. Pkt., 10c. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.

# Aquilegia (Columbine)

EARLY HYBRIDS. A fine assortment of colors of the earliest flowering varieties. Pkt., 10c.

LONG SPURRED HYBRIDS (Mrs. Scott Elliott's Strain). 2 to 3 ft. May-June. A wonderful mixture containing all the beautiful tints, tones and color combinations for which this strain is famous, hardly two being exactly alike. Plants of strong, thrifty growth with flowers of largest size. The finest strain of Columbine yet produced. Pkt., 15c. Blooming size plants in fine assortment of colors, 25c each; 3 for **50c**; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.



One of the daintiest and most delicately beautiful of all dwarf creeping plants for carpeting beds or rockeries, forming a dazzling sheet of rich dark blue flowers for a long time in early spring. Massed on rockeries or in borders with white Arabis and yellow Alyssum, it forms a charming contrast. A gem for planting in crevices of rocks or walls, forming a cataract of color. 6 inches. Pkt., 20c.

soon as the snow disappears. Useful for rockeries or edging. 6 to 8 inches. Pkt., 10c. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.



Bellis Monstrosa Giant

## BELLIS (Double English Daisy)

A favorite perennial which will stand the winter if given the protection of a little litter. Excellent for borders and rock gardens. Grows 5 to 6 inches high and if the old blooms are kept picked they will stay in bloom until frost.

DOUBLE MIXED. Fine mixture of red, pink and white. Pkt., 10c.

MONSTROSA GIANT. Not so free flowering as smaller flowered varieties, but the flowers are of enormous size, almost as large as a good-sized Aster. Fine mixture of colors. Pkt., 15c.

ECHINOPS RITRO (Globe Thistle) Globe-shaped flowers of metallic blue with thistle-like foliage. 3 to 4 ft. June to September. Of very easy culture and will grow on poor soil. May be dried for winter bouquets. Pkt., 8c. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.

## **BLAZING STAR** (Liatris) SCARIOSA. 3 to 4 ft. August-September. Spikes of purple flowers remaining in bloom over a long period. One of the best fall blooming perennials. Pkt., 15c. Blooming size plants, 35c each; 3 for 75c; 12 for \$2.00, postpaid.

PYCNOSTACHYA. One of our showiest perennials. The purple flowers are borne in PYCNOSTACHYA. dense spikes 4 to 5 ft. high. Blooms appear in July and August and last a long time. Pkt., 15c. Blooming size plants, 35c each; 3 for 75c; 12 for \$2.00, postpaid.



Campanula Medium

## CAMPANULAS (Bell Flowers)

CALYCANTHEMA (Cun and Saucer). A fine biennial type of this much prized garden plant. Large, semi-double blue, white, rose and striped flowers, each resembling a cup and saucer. Seed in mixture of colors only. Pkt., 10c.

CARPATICA (Hare Bell), Blue. A pretty perennial species growing in compact tufts, not exceeding eight inches high; flowers clear blue, held erect on wiry stems. It begins blooming in June, continuing until October. As an edging for a hardy border or for the rockery, it is unsurpassed. Pkt., 10c.

CARPATICA, White. A pure white-flowered form of the above. Pkt., 10c.
CARPATICA, Mixed. White and blue shades. Pkt., 10c.
MEDIUM (Canterbury Bell). The old-fashioned biennial sort with beautiful, large, bell-shaped blossoms.
Prefers sun. Blue, Rose, White, Mixed Colors; separate colors or mixed. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.
PERSICIFOLIA (Peach Bells). One of the finest Campanulas, with large, handsome, bell-shaped flowers to 3 feet high. Blue, White, Mixed Colors; separate colors or mixed. Pkt., 15c.
PYRAMIDALIS (Chimney Bellflower). A beautiful, stately plant; 4 feet; saucer-shaped flowers borned to be a superstance of the manufact Company of the mixed Colors.

PRIZE MIXTURE. A fine mixture of the perennial Campanulas. Pkt., 10c.

## Hardy Chrysanthemums

Hardy outdoor Chrysanthemums produce a wealth of floral display long after more tender flowers have been killed by frosts, and will supply an abundance of cut flowers well into October and even November in mild seasons. Though perfeetly hardy they should be cut down and covered with leaves after they are through flowering as they do not like excessive moisture during the winter.

AUTUMN GLOW. Rosy crimson; large double flowers. Golden yellow; large double flowers. OLD HOMESTEAD. Pink pompon; bushy.

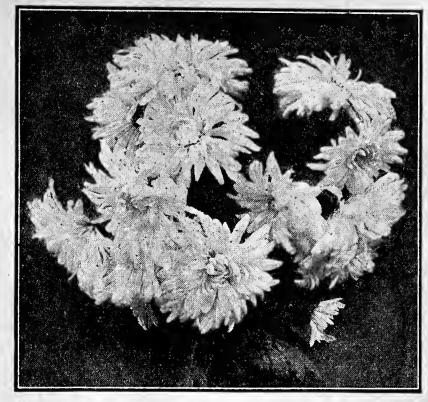
SNOWDROP. Pure white pompon. Very hardy; dwarf grower. PRICES: Your choice of the above varieties of Hardy Chrysanthemums, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.75, postpaid.

SPECIAL: Four plants, one each of the above 4 varieties, for 75c,

Hardy Chrysanthemums cannot be shipped to California.

## HARDY CHRYSANTHEMUMS IN MIXTURE OF COLORS

We can supply plants of all types, kinds and colors, in fine mixture, at 3 for 50c; 6 for 90c; or 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.



Hardy Perennial Chrysanthemum Snowdrop

# For Japanese Mountain Chrys-

# Hardy Carnations

BORDER CARNATIONS. 12 to 18 inches. The true hardy outdoor or border Carnation. A beautiful strain which blooms in great abundance all summer. Excellent for cutting and very hardy. A fine mixture of colors, including white, yellow and all the pink and red shades. Pkt., 15c; 2 pkts., 25c. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.75, postpaid.

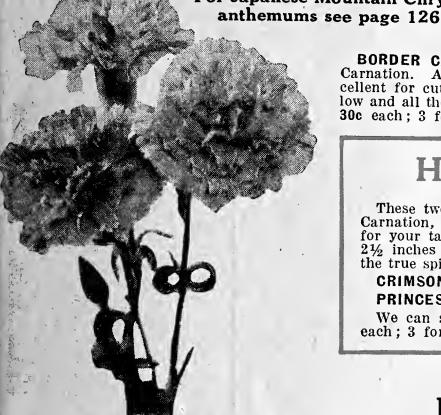
## Hardy Everblooming Carnations

These two new varieties belong to the same group of plants as the hothouse Carnation, yet are perfectly hardy out-of-doors. You can now have Carnations for your table throughout the summer and fall. They are full double, 1½ to 2½ inches across, borne on 12 inch stems, from June to November, and have the true spicy Carnation fragrance.

CRIMSON KING. Deep crimson red.

PRINCESS BISMARK. Large, double, pink flowers.

We can supply choice plants of both of these everblooming varieties at 45c each; 3 for \$1.20; 12 for \$3.60, postpaid.



Hardy Everblooming Carnations

## Hardy Cactus

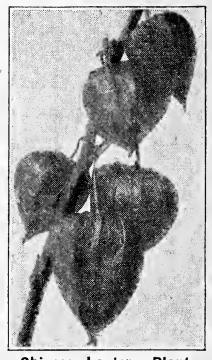
The varieties listed here are perfectly hardy out-doors anywhere in the United States and require no winter protection. Extremely interesting for rock gardens.

OPUNTIA FRAGILIS is a cactus of the prickly pear type with miniature sections or slabs from or chalf to one inch across. Large pale lemon-yellow howers shading to red at center, appear in early July, followed by attractive fruit. Perfectly hardy withstanding a temperature of 25 to 30 below zero without injury. jury. This variety is especially desirable for Japanese dish gardens and other similar purposes.

OPUNTIA POLYACANTHA. Similar to above with larger sections and flowers, but blooms more profusely; perfectly hardy.

MAMMILLARIA VIVIPARA. Small bell-shaped plants bearing purplish red or pink flowers late in June, followed by reddish green edible berries. Perfectly hardy.

The above hardy Cacti, 35c each; 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25, postpaid.



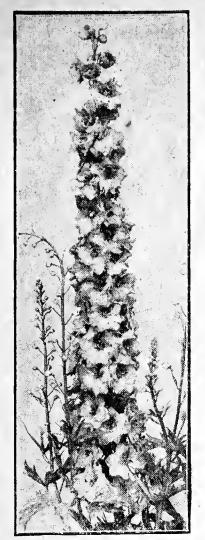
Chinese Lantern Plant (25c Each; 4 for 50c)

Opuntia Polyacantha Cactus (35c Each) Purple Cone Flower

(Echinacea Purpurea). Reddish-purple cone-shaped flowers 3 to 4 inches across on 3 to 4 ft. stems. Blooms from July to October. A good border plant and will thrive n poor dry soil. Pkt., 10c. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.75,

## **CHINESE LANTERN PLANT**

Dense bush about 2 feet high, grown for its very attractive balloonlike pods, which turn bright red and resemble Chinese paper lanterns. May be easily dried for winter bouquets and decorations, being very fine at Christmas time, and retaining its color and shape all winter. It is easily grown on any ordinary garden soil, and is unusually striking in the garden. A money maker for florists and others who have a cut-flower trade. Pkt., 10c. Blooming size plants of the New Improved Large-Lantern Strain, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.



"Hollyhock" Delphinium

# Burgess' Choice Delphiniums

(Hardy Perennial Larkspur)

The Delphinium is, beyond question, the Queen of all blue flowers, and a liberal planting of them will never be regretted. The wonderful stateliness, loose, graceful shape of flowers, and fine colors make them suitable for most any floral work; indispensable to the hardy border and, planted among the shrubbery, gives a delightful landscape effect. As cut flowers they have few equals and by cutting off the stems immediately after flowering they will bloom throughout the summer and fall.

BELLADONNA (Everblooming Hardy Larkspur). 3 to 4 ft. One of the most continuous and free blooming Delphiniums. The clear turquoise blue of its flowers is unsurpassed for delicacy and beauty. Pkt., 15c.

BELLAMOSUM. 3 to 4 ft. A dark form of the popular Belladonna with intensely rich, deep blue flowers. It is better than Formosum, grows taller, and will not mildew like Formosum. Pkt., 15c. CHINESE OR BUTTERFLY, Large-flowered Blue. 2 ft. A very pretty variety with fine feathery foliage and intense gentian blue flowers in open panicles. Pkt., 10c. Blooming size plants, 30c each;

3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.75, postpaid.

CHINESE OR BUTTERFLY, Large-flowered White. 2 ft. A pure white form of above. Pkt., 10c. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.75, postpaid.

CHINESE OR BUTTERFLY, Everblooming Hybrids. 2 ft. A wonderful mixture of many shades of

blue, white suffused with blue, and pure white with yellow eye. Bloom from early summer until late fall. Pkt., 15c.

GOLD MEDAL HYBRIDS. 5 to 7 feet. The English Hybrid Delphinium is unquestionably the most beautiful hardy plant in existence. Our stock has been grown from seed collected from the finest collections of named varieties in Europe, including many of the rare double flowered forms. The range of color includes all of the self-colors in varying shades of blues and purples with many beautiful combinations and blendings of mauve, pink, lavender, etc. Those who desire to improve on their already prized borders cannot afford to overlook these superior hybrids. Pkt., 15c; 3 pkts., 35c. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.75, postpaid.

HOLLYHOCK HYBRIDS DELPHINIUM. 4 to 6 ft. Recent developments in this new race of Delphinium is rapidly increasing its popularity. The flowers resemble hollyhocks and are produced on tapering spire-like spikes 3 feet long and 10 inches in diameter. The individual blooms are often larger than a silver dollar. The colors range from light to dark blue and many of them are combinations of two or more shades, including the pastel shades found in the Gold Medal Hybrids. Pkt., 25c.

## Christmas Rose

The Christmas Rose or Helleborus is a very hardy perennial plant that produces its flowers in mid-winter after a few mild days, the exact time of bloom depending on climatic and weather conditions. It prefers a partially shaded and moist situation and will bloom better if given and will bloom better if given a protected location. The plant grows from 12 to 18 inches in height.

The 2 to 3 inch flowers are white, sometimes with pink and green markings, and are produced on strong stems suitable for cutting. Choice suitable for cutting. C 3-year-old blooming 3-year-old blooming size plants, 90c each; 3 for \$2.50,



Coreopsis

# DIGITALIS (Foxglove)

One of the most popular and highly ornamental hardy plants. Succeeds under almost all conditions and with but little attention will give a wealth of flowers during July and August. Botanically the first two varieties are biennial but as they usually persist for several years they may be treated as perennials. Liberal mass plantings are very effective.

GIANT SHIRLEY. 5 to 6 ft. June-July. A magnificent strain, with enormous flower-heads three to four feet long. Colors range from white and shell-pink to deepest rose, and attractively spotted with crimson-maroon and chocolate. Mixed colors only. Pkt., 15c. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

GLOXINIAEFLORA. 3 to 4 ft. June—July. A fine strain of the ordinary Foxglove, with purple, rose and white Gloxinia-like flowers, handsomely spotted, and on long spikes. Mixture of colors only. Pkt., 10c. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

GRANDIFLORA. 2 to 3 ft. June to September. Loose spikes of yellow flowers with chocolate colored spots. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.

## PERENNIAL CANDYTUFT

COREOPSIS LANCEOLATA

GRANDIFLORA. 2 ft.

June—October. One of

the most popular hardy plants and of very easy culture. Showy bright yellow flowers, produced

in greatest abundance

throughout the summer if the old blooms are kept picked. As a cut

flower they stand near

the head of the list of peren-

nials, having long stems and lasting in good condition a week or more. Will thrive in poor soil. Pkt., 8c. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.

(Iberis)

Sempervirens. A profuse, white-blooming, hardy perennial, coming in flower early in the spring. Has evergreen foliage. Does well in sun or shade. Much used for cemeteries, rockeries, etc. Pkt., 15c.

## Centaurea Montana

(Perennial Cornflower)

Vigorous grower of easy culture; 2 feet high; large violet-blue flowers from July to September; excellent for cutting. Prefers sun. Pkt., 10c. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 66c; 12 for \$1.50,

## PLUME POPPY The Plume (Bocconia Cordata) is a stately hardy perennial, 6 to 8 feet high, bearing panicles of creamy-white flowers, on spikes 2 to 3 feet long. Handsome for shrubbery border or massing, and a welcome addition to the mixed bouquet. Pkt., 10c. Plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.



**Digitalis** 

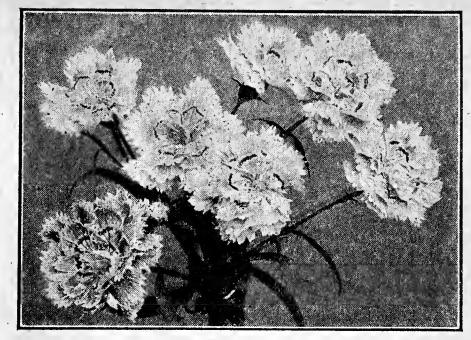
## DIANTHUS (Hardy Pinks)

**DELTOIDES** (Maiden Pink). 8 inches. May-June. A dwarf variety for carpeting, borders and rock gardens. Dark green foliage close to the ground. Small crimson flowers in profusion, giving the effect of dazzling colored carpet. Pkt., 15c. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

KNAPPI (Yellow Dianthus). Slender stems, 15 inches high, bearing clusters of yellow flowers in July. Prefers a dry sunny location. Unique in that it is the only yellow flowered variety. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

PLUMARIUS, Double (Old Fashioned Clove Pink). The favorite of the old fashioned garden. Double carnation-like flowers. Their spicy fragrance adds greatly to their value as a cut flower. Our stock contains a wide range of shades and color combinations of rose, pink and white. In mixture of colors only. Pkt., 10c. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.75, postpaid.

SPECIOSA. The flowers of this variety are about 1½ inches across, the petals finely cut and shredded, giving a feathery appearance. They are pale rose, lilac and white and very fragrant. One of the best cut flower varieties. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.



Double Dianthus Plumarius

Dicentra Spectabilis (Bleeding Heart), 40c Each

# Hardy Ferns

Hardy Ferns do well in shady and half-shady places in the garden and park, and are often useful for growing close to houses, in corners which are too dark for most plants. Ferns do best in light soils, containing much vegetable matter, so it is always best to work a considerable amount of leaf mould into the soil of a fern bed. The common notion that Ferns require wet or almost swampy conditions is not well founded, as they will do nicely under ordinary garden treatment in the matter of moisture.

CHRISTMAS FERN. A beautiful, hardy, evergreen Fern. Finely cut, deep green fronds, 1 to 2 feet long.

CINNAMON FERN. A large, stately, hardy Fern. A very conspicuous variety.

GOSSAMER OR HAY SCENTED FERN. A large, sweet scented hardy Fern. Grows well in either sun or shade. 20 to 30 inches. Very erect with broad pale green fronds of a soft, woolly texture. A very hand-some variety.

MAIDEN HAIR FERN. One of the most attractive of the hardy Ferns. Black stems and delicate green fronds with chestnut-brown markings.

OSTRICH PLUME FERN. A graceful drooping variety producing as many as fifteen feathery fronds.

REGAL OR ROYAL FERN. A vigorous, tall-growng hardy Fern. Fronds measure a foot or more wide and 2 to 5 feet tall. Rich, yellowish-green foliage.

PRICES—Your choice of the above 5 Ferns at 35c each; 3 for 75c; 5 for \$1.00; or 12 for \$2.00, postpaid.

## Hardy Perennial Ferns

in Assortment of Varieties

We have a fine assortment of Hardy Perennial Ferns, and sell them in a fine mixture of varieties at 25c each; 3 for 65c; 12 for \$1.75, postpaid.

## DICENTRA (Bleeding Heart)

SPECTABILIS. 2 ft. April-June. An old garden favorite; one of the earliest blooming hardy plants; long racemes of graceful heart-shaped rose-pink flowers; easily grown anywhere; especially valuable for border planting and for planting in the shade. Also makes a beautiful house plant if potted late in the fall and kept in a cool place until a few weeks before the flowers are wanted. Blooming size plants, 40c each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.00, postpaid.

**EXIMIA** (Everblooming or Plumy Bleeding Heart). 18 inches. An everblooming sort with beautiful finely cut foliage and showy racemes of heart-shaped deep pink flowers from April to August. It is equally at home in full shade or sun and perfectly hardy everywhere. Blooming size plants, 40c each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.00, postpaid.

## FUNKIA (Japanese Day Lilies)

Hardy herbaceous perennials with handsome foliage and lily-like flowers borne on graceful spikes. While they prove satisfactory in either sun or full shade, they prefer a semi-shaded location. They will thrive in poor soil and with very little care.

BLUE PLANTAIN LILY (Funkia Caerulea). Their broad, massive foliage makes them attractive subjects for the border even when not in flower. Blue flowers in summer borne on spikes 2 feet high.

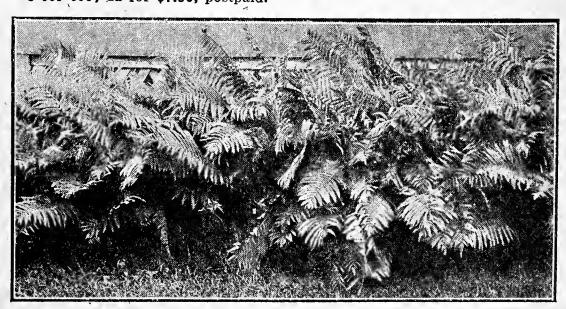
JAPANESE PLANTAIN LILY (Funkia Japonica). Foliage narrow, lance-shaped. Popular for borders and the rockery. Flowers purplish mauve on 18 inch stems during August and September.

FRAGRANT PLANTAIN LILY or WHITE DAY LILY (Funkia Plantaginea). Their broad, massive, light green foliage makes them attractive subjects for the border even when not in flower. Clusters of large, pure white flowers borne on 2 foot stems in August and September. Very fragrant.

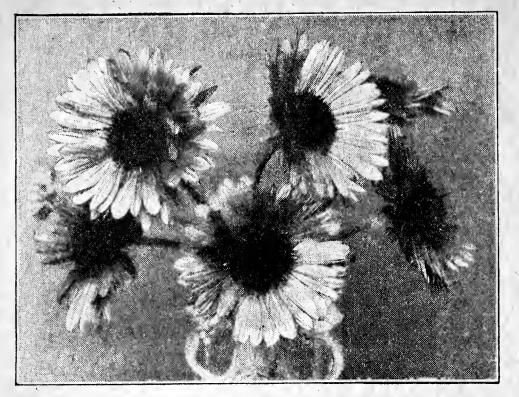
VARIEGATED PLANTAIN LILY. Like the Japanese Plantain Lily except in foliage, which is green with a white margin.

PRICES—Your choice of the above three Funkia Day Lilies at 35c each; 3 for 75c; or 12 for \$2.25, postpaid.

FEVERFEW (Matricaria). 18 inches. June-October. A free-flowering hardy perennial plant, producing fine, double white flowers resembling pompon Chrysanthemums. One of the best all-season cut flowers. Pkt., 10c. Plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.



Hardy Ferns (35c Each; 12 for \$2.00)



Gaillardia Dazzler

# GAILLARDIA

(Blanket Flower)

GRANDIFLORA. 18 inches. May-November. Among the showiest and most effective hardy perennial plants, and should find a place in every hardy border. They thrive in almost any position or soil, and practically take care of themselves. If not allowed to go to seed they will bloom continually throughout the summer. They are unsurpassed as cut flowers as they retain their brilliancy for several days in water. retain their brilliancy for several days in water. Our selected strain contains a wide range of color combinations, including nearly all the varieties of red, yellow and orange. Blooms 3 to 4 inches in diameter. Pkt., 8c. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.

## New Gaillardia" Dazzler'

The largest and most attractive giant red Gaillardia. Flowers very large, rich dark red, with a bright orange tip on the end of each petal. A very attractive flower for the garden and for table decoration. No more beautiful and brilliant sight can be imagined than a large bed of these Gaillardias with their profusion of highly colored flowers from June until November. Pkt., 15c; 3 pkts., 35c.

GEUM Mrs. Bradshaw. Beautiful branching plant, about 2 feet in height, bearing profusely throughout the entire summer, large showy, double flowers of brilliant orange-scarlet. Excellent for cutting. Pkt., 10c.

HARDY GLOXINIA

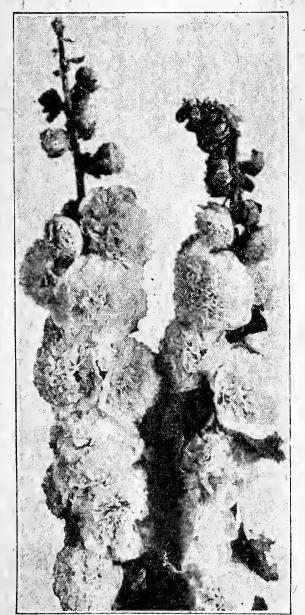
(Incarvillea). 18 inches. June-July. A showy plant for the hardy border, producing clusters of large trumpet-shaped rose colored flowers with yellow throat

during June and July. Succeeds either in sun or shade, but should be protected with leaves or litter during the winter. Blooming size plants, 35c each; 3 for 75c; 12 for \$2.00, postpaid.

GYPSOPHILA (Baby's Breath)

PANICULATA. Bushy plants 2 feet high bearing loose panicles of small white flowers. June-July. Very fine, superior to Asparagus Fern for mixing with other cut flowers. Can be dried and used for winter bouquets. A most desirable addition to the hardy border. Pkt., 10c. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.

ACUTIFOLIA. Similar to Paniculata but with larger flowers slightly shaded pink. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.



**Double Hollyhock** 

## HOLLYHOCKS

One of the most majestic of hardy plants, and a clump or row of them in any garden gives an effect not attainable with any other plant. Unsurpassed for planting a mong shrubbery, as a background for other plants or as a screen to hide unsightly corners. Seed sown any time before midsummer will produce plants for flowering next season.
FINEST DOUBLE. We can supply seed

from the finest double flowers in the following colors:

Apple Blossom Rose Salmon-Rose Deep Scarlet Dark Crimson

Pkt., 5c.

Lilac Beauty Dark Yellow Pure White All Colors Mixed

Seed in separate colors or mixed, 10c per packet; 3 pkts., 25c; 8 pkts., 50c.
Blooming size plants, in mixture of colors

only, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.50,

ALLEGHENY. Enormous flowers; beautifully fringed petals. Colors vary from palest pink to deep red. Spikes 6 to 7 feet high. Pkt., 10c. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

SINGLE. Single Hollyhocks are hardier

than the double varieties and preferred by many. Our seed is saved from large flowers, and a nice assortment of colors. Pkt., 5c. Perennial Blue. 18 inches. May-August. Beautiful saucer-shaped light blue flowers about the size of a silver quarter. Fine for rock gardens.



Hardy Gloxinia (35c Each)

## Garden Heliotrope

Large heads of pinkish-white flowers borne on 3 to 5 ft. stems. Very fragrant, perfuming the entire garden. Dark green deeply cut foliage. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.75, post-

## KUDZU VINE

(Jack-and-the-Bean-Stalk Vine)

A remarkable perennial climber which starts new shoots from the crowns of the roots each year. It is the most rapid growing vine in cultivation; grows 8 to 10 feet the first year from seed, and after it has become established a growth of 40 to 60 feet in a single season being not unusual. The foliage is large and furnishes dense shade; bears panicles of rosy-purple, peashaped blossoms somewhat like Wistaria, during August and September. A splendid subject for covering permanently verandas, dead trees, etc. Perfectly hardy and will flourish where nothing else will grow. Pkt., 10c. Plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

## KENILWORTH IVY (Linaria Cymbalaria)

A charming, neat hardy perennial trailing plant, with glossy, ivy-like foliage, and dainty lavender and purple flowers. Most attractive for baskets, vases, pots and rock gardens. Pkt., 10c.

## LILIES FROM SEED

# A Wonderful Lily

Lilium Philippinense Formosanum

Flowers Similar to Easter Lily; Easily Grown from Seed; Blossoms the Same Season Seed is Planted

It is one of the most wonderful Lilies in existence. Seed sown in February, March and April produces plants that come into flower in the fall of the same year, and keep on flowering continuously year after year. After the flowers are over, new suckers come out from the same bulb and the bulb itself increases. Will have as many as ten flowers on a single stem under proper culture. Flowers are of purest white tinted purple outside, about the same size and form as Easter Lily. Delightfully fragrant. They are excellent both for pot culture and for garden.

A florist in Pennsylvania planted some of the seed in January and on June 26th wrote that the flowers were then ready to open.

The second year they flower more freely, very often as many as ten flowers on a single stem. These flower stems appear one after another, two or three times a year from the same bulb. In the course of two to three years they will make a fine clump of Lily plants and will produce a mass of flowers in August and from then on continuously, by throwing new suckers from the roots.

Sow the seed in shallow boxes or pans, using rather light soil, and transplant when with 5 or 6 leaves. Pkt., 25c; 5 pkts., \$1.00. For bulbs, see page 87.



Hen and Chickens

postpaid.

LUPINUS PERENNIAL

(Polyphyllus). 3 to 4 ft. June-July. Long

graceful spikes, which are loaded with peashaped flowers. Fine for perennial beds and

backgrounds and excellent for cut flowers. Can supply in Blue, Rose, White, and Mixed

Colors at 10c per packet; 3 pkts., 25c. Blooming size plants (mixture of colors only) at 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.50,

## Hen and Chickens

HEN AND CHICKENS (Sempervivum Tectorum). An evergreen succulent plant forming a rosette of fleshy green leaves with reddish brown tips. Miniature rosettes form at the base of the parent plant. The pale red flowers are borne on a stem in the center of the matured plant. An indispensable rock plant. Also suitable for dish gardening and pot culture. 25c each; 4 for 50c; 12 for \$1.00, postpaid.

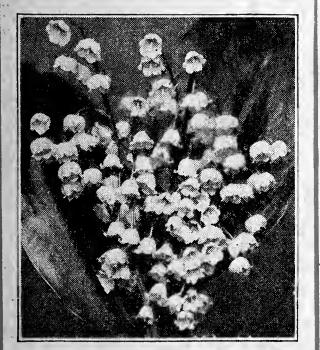
### **LYCHNIS**

FLORE PLENO. A very showy variety with double crimson flowers produced on spikes 1 ft. high. Blooming size plants, 40c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid.

chalcedonica (Scarlet Lightning or Maltese Cross). 2 ft. June-July. Handsome hardy perennial for massing in beds and borders; large heads of brilliant scarlet flowers; suitable for cutting. Pkt., 8c. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

FLOS-CULCULI (Ragged Robin or Cuckoo Flower). The beautiful flowers are produced in loose clusters on stems 1 to 2 ft. high from May to August. Blooming size plants (either Pink or White), 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

VISCARIA SPLENDENS (German Catchfly). 18 inches. May-June. Rosered flowers produced in clusters on stiff erect stems. A very fine variety; of easy culture. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.25, post-paid.



Lily of the Valley

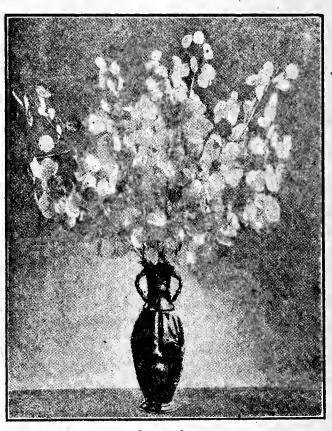
9 inches. May-June. These popular and fragrant flowers do their best in a shady situation. A hardy perennial that is too well known to require description. 20c each; 6 for 45c; 12 for 75c; 25 for \$1.35; 100 for \$5.00, postpaid.



Lychnis



Philippinense Formosanum Lily



Lunaria

## Lunaria, or Honesty

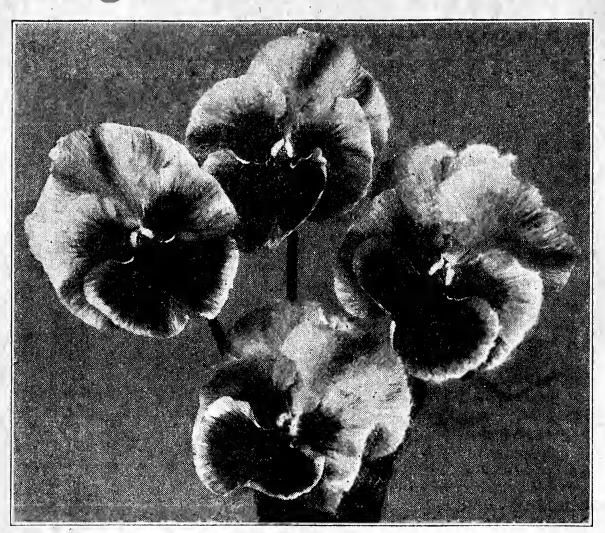
(Chinese Money Plant)

A beautiful hardy biennial, about 2 feet in height, which is known in the different provinces of China as the silver, satin or money plant, and in Europe as St. Peter's Penny. Flowers are violet-purple, white and dark crimson, followed by the silvery seed pods, which present a beautiful and rather curious appearance. When dried, the stems which are loaded with these glistening seed pouches, will last indefinitely and are exquisite for winter bouquets and other decorative purposes. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.

## Jacob's Ladder

(Polemonium Coeruleum). Clusters of drooping flowers on stems 2 to 3 ft. high. Finely cut, deep green foliage. Can be supplied in either blue or white at 25c each, postpaid.

# Burgess' Choice Pansies



Swiss Giant Pansies

## New Swiss Giant Pansies

The Most Gorgeous We Have Ever Seen

If you really want extraordinary Pansies, by all means sow these New Swiss Giants. They are of recent introduction, coming direct from Switzerland, and are, without exception, the most gorgeous Pansies we have ever seen. They are of immense most gorgeous Pansies we have ever seen. They are of immense size, often measuring 3½ inches across, and are perfectly shaped flowers of thick velvety texture. The wide range of colorings and markings include the richest reds, coppers, bronzes, and yellows, together with the delicate rose-pinks and those beautiful light blues so much desired in Pansies. One of the outstanding features of this wonderful strain is that the long, stiff stems hold the flowers well above the foliage; and the fact that the blooms the flowers well above the foliage; and the fact that the blooms retain their size almost throughout the season, makes it most valuable as a cut-flower as well as for bedding. Pkt., 25c; 3 pkts., 65c, postpaid.

## Choice American and European Seed

Pansies are favorites with all, and are too well known to require any description. For best results you must start with a good strain. We spare neither pains nor expense to satisfy the most critical trade. Our seed is produced and saved with great care and is the best. The finest Pansies are, as a rule, shy seeders, which accounts for the difference in the price of the various mixtures.

BURGESS' BEST GIANT FLOWERED. fine assortment of colors and variations of colors, with the gigantic blossoms well above the foliage, erect on long, stiff stems. Burgess' Best Giant Flowered and the New Swiss Giants are, we believe, the two best strains of giant flowered Pansies available. You will be making no mistake if you plant seed of both strains. Pkt., 25c; 3 pkts., 65c.

GIANT RUFFLED MASTERPIECE. Giant-sized flowers of most striking character, each petal being conspicuously curled or waved, giving them the effect of a double flower. The

ing them the effect of a double flower. The colors are mainly rich dark shades, bordered; blotched, or marked in ray-like veinings with contrasting colors. Bloom freely and continuously as long as the weather remains cool. Pkt., 20c; 3 pkts., 50c.

EXTRA FANCY LARGE FLOWERED. A fine mixture, similar to Burgess' Best Giant Flowered, but blossoms not quite as large. Pkt., 15c; 2 pkts., 25c.

CHOICE MIXED. A fine mixture of the ordinary varieties. Pkt., 8c.

MAMMOTH ORCHID-FLOWERED. This distinct and beautiful strain of Pansies will appeal to those who prefer delicate tints and soft shades and colors. The unique colorings include shades of chamois, terra cotta, pink, lilac, rose and orange. The flowers are of good size and they bloom freely from early spring until late in the fall. The name "Orchid-Flowered" has been given them because of their delicate shades and finely ruffled edges. Pkt., 15c; 3 pkts., 40c.

TRIMARDEAU MIXTURE. A beautiful and dependable large-flowered strain of Pansies which will serve well where large blossoms and a fine assortment of colors are wanted. Pkt., 15c; 2 pkts., 25c.

## 12 Mammoth Mallow Marvels \$1.50

These are a wonderfully improved form of our greatly admired Hibiscus, in which flowers of enormous size, frequently 10 to 12 inches in diameter, have been developed. Plants 4 to 7 feet high and produce an abundance of flowers in all shades of crimson, pink and white. Do well on either dry or wet ground and hardy as an oak. Bloom continually from July to October. Our field grown plants are blooming size, and are the richest and finest mixture of colors we have seen. 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid. Seed, 10c per packet.

# MYOSOTIS (Forget-Me-Not) Few spring flowers are more admired than the lovely Forget-Me-Nots, which are especially effective when grown in masses. The Alpestria varieties are biannial and compared to the control of t

pecially effective when grown in masses. The Alpestris varieties are biennial and come into bloom very early in the spring and are largely used for bedding or borders in connection with spring-flowering bulbs, Pansies, etc. They also bloom again in the fall; bloom freely the first season and still more profusely the second spring. They do best in shady, moist situations.

ALPESTRIS, BLUE (Biennial). Dwarf bushes of trailing habit. A mass of light blue

flowers which stand out sharply from the rich green foliage. Pkt., 10c.

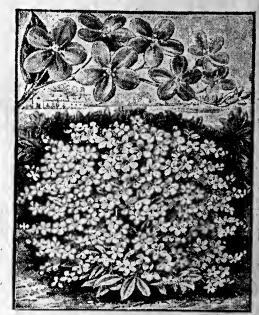
ALPESTRIS, ROSE (Biennial). Beautiful rose-pink; a color rather rare among Forget-Me-Nots. Pkt., 10c.

PALUSTRIS SEMPERFLORENS (Perpetual Flowering). 8 inches. This lovely perennial Forget-Me-Not is of ever-blooming type. Flowers of lovely bright sky-blue color, begin to flower about a month later in the spring than the biennial varieties and continue blooming until late autumn. Prefers a moist location

nial varieties and continue blooming until late autumn. Prefers a moist location which makes it invaluable as a border around a pool or along a stream. Pkt., 15c. Plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

Lathyrus (Perennial Sweet Peas)

Showy, hardy climbers that remain in the ground year after year; often 8 to 10 feet in height and bearing a mass of flowers throughout the summer. Fine for covering old stumps, fences, etc., and excellent for cutting. Mixed colors. Pkt., 10c. Plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.



Myosotis (Forget-Me-Not)



Lathyrus (Perennial Sweet Peas) (30c Each; 12 for \$1.50)



Physostegia (30c Each; 3 for 60c)

# Double Oriental Poppy

**OLYMPIA.** A large, double Oriental Poppy which blooms from a week to ten days earlier than the single varieties. Bright scarlet, overlaid with glistening golden-salmon. A most gorgeous variety, and a profuse bloomer. Blooming size plants, 50c each; 3 for \$1.20; 12 for \$4.00, postpaid.



Double Iceland Poppy

Oriental Poppy

## **Oriental Poppies**

The introduction of named hybrids is fast increasing the demand for this ever popular flower. With the gorgeous display of the enormous flow-

ers and brilliant colors they are the most conspicuous of all the spring-flowering plants.

BEAUTY OF LIVERMORE. Deep crimson with black blotch at the base of each petal. A fine flower, produced on tall stiff stems. Blooming size plants, 40c each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for **\$3.50**, postpaid.

MRS. PERRY. Delicate salmon rose; one of the most popular pinks. Large flowers. Blooming size plants, 40c each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.50, postpaid.

PERRY'S WHITE. A rare color among Oriental Poppies. Sating white flowers of medium size with purple-maroon blotch at the base of each petal. Blooming size plants, 50c each; 3 for \$1.20; 12 for \$4.00, postpaid.

ORANGE KING. Orange-scarlet with black blotch at base of petals. Blooming size plants. 30c each; 3 for 75c; 12 for \$2.50, postpaid.

all perennials, especially when several plants are grouped together. Succeeds in practically any soil or location and requires very little care or attention. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.75, postpaid.

MONARDA DIDYMA, Cambridge
Scarlet

3 ft. June-August. An improved variety of perennial. Stout stems bearing large brilliant scarlet flowers: One of the most showy of all parameters are ground to

HARDY PRIMROSE

PRIMULA POLYANTHA. 6 to 9 inches. April-May.
A choice addition to any border or rockery. Our carefully selected strain includes a wide range of colors from pale yellow to deep orange. It also includes various shades of reds, violets and purples. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.75, postpaid.

## **PENSTEMON**

BARBATUS (Beard Tongue). 2 to 3 feet. July-August. Tall spikes of coral-red flowers. A very striking flower for the hardy border and a good cut flower. No seed. Prefers sunny situation. Plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.

GLOXINIAFLORA HYBRIDS. 2 feet. July-October. A beautiful strain bearing graceful spikes of large Gloxinia-like flowers. The colors and markings are gorgeously varied from pink and rose to scarlet and maroon. Not hardy in the extreme North, but may be treated as an annual as it will bloom the first season from seed sown indoors early in the spring. Pkt., 10c.

## **PHYSOSTEGIA**

(False Dragonhead)

VIVID. 2 to 3 feet. June-July. One of the most beautiful mid-summer flowering perennials. Dense bushes bearing long spikes of delicate lavender-pink tubular flowers. Larger spike and flower and brighter color than the old-fashioned Physostegia Virginica. Fine for landscape work and for cut flowers. Plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

## **EVERBLOOMING ICELAND POPPIES**

1 foot. May-September. The Iceland Poppies are classed among the most brilliant and free flowering perennials. Their

flowers are borne in endless profusion on graceful wiry stems. If not permitted to seed they will bloom all summer. The fern-like foliage forms neat evergreen tufts close to the ground. Fine for borders and for the rockery.

BRIGHT YELLOW. Pkt., 10c. ORANGE-SCARLET. Pkt., 10c. WHITE. Pkt., 10c. FINEST SINGLE MIXED. All

colors, Pkt., 10c. DOUBLE MIXED. Pkt., 25c.

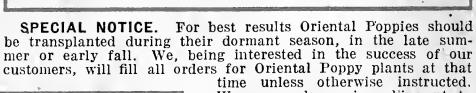
## New Iceland Poppy

Coonara Pink. A charming warm rose-pink, faintly suffused with salmon-pink combining the pink and salmon shadings in wonderful delicacy. The plants are more vigorous than is usual in Iceland Poppies, and the flowers are much more freely produced on long, slender stems throughout the season. They will keep well if cut in bud and the end of stems seared for a moment. If seed is sown early, plants will bloom the same



Mrs. M. Culbertson, Stuttgart, Ark., writes: "I want to tell you about the success I had with the package of lily seed Lilium Philippinense Formosanum which I purchased from you last spring. October 1st of same year gave me the first fully opened flowers. Later others opened, some stalks having 3 flowers measuring 7½ to 8 inches in length. I potted some of the plants while in bloom, and now they are sprouting up all around the old stem. The plants I left outside are fine also."

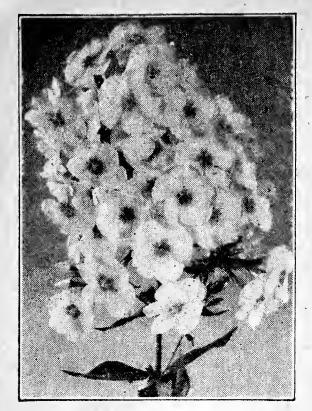
For description of this wonderful lily see page 63.



We can make spring shipment to customers who want them at that time, but we can not be held responsible for the success of Oriental Poppies planted in the spring.

ORIENTAL HYBRIDS. For brilliancy in color, nothing equals them. Flowers of enormous size, often measuring over 6 inches in diameter; colors range from rose and salmon-pink to the most brilliant dazzling scarlet and rich maroon purple. Pkt., 10c.





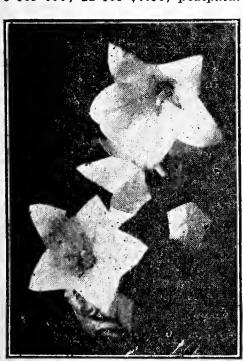
Phlox Miss Lingard



Pyrethrum Roseum (30c Each)

## POPPY MALLOW

(Callirhoe Involucrata). Trailing plant with poppy-like magenta flowers. A good plant for the rockery, preferring a hot, dry location. Blooms all summer. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.



Platycodon (25c Each)

# Hardy Phlox

Because of the bright showy colors and their long blooming period the hardy Phlox are counted among the most highly prized perennials. Enormous heads of brilliant flowers produced on strong erect stems. Indispensable to the hardy border and for general landscape work; also a fine cut flower. We have discarded many of the common varieties and offer here only those we know will well repay our customers for the little care they require. They average 2 to 3 feet in height and bloom from June to October.

AFRICA. Brilliant carmine-red with blood red eye. One of the best of the new varieties.

BRIDESMAID. White with crimson eye.

ECLAIREUR. Violet-red. White eye.

FIREBRAND. Brilliant orange-scarlet, sometimes almost vermilion. Probably the most brilliant of all perennial Phlox and a continuous bloomer.

LA VAGUE. Immense conical heads. Mauve with cream eye.

MRS. CHAS. DORR. The tall lavender Phlox of old-fashioned gardens. Will stand more neglect than other varieties.

MRS. MILLY VAN HOBOKEN. Bright pink suffused mauve. Very free flowering; large loose heads.

**PANTHEON.** Salmon-rose; extra large.

RHEINLANDER. Salmon-pink with red eye; immense trusses.

R. P. STRUTHERS. Brilliant rosy-carmine with crimson eye.

SIEBOLDI. Orange-scarlet with red eye. Profuse bloomer.

VON LASSBERG. Pure snow white. The best of its color.

PRICES. Your choice of the above 12 varieties in blooming size plants, at 30c each; 3 for 60c; or 12 for \$1.75, postpaid.

MIXED PHLOX. Phlox plants in mixture of colors, our selection, unlabeled, at 3 for 50c; or \$1.25 per dozen, postpaid.

PERENNIAL PHLOX SEED. A select mixture of all colors. Pkt., 15c; 2 pkts., 25c.

## EKBLOOMING PHLO

MISS LINGARD. This grand variety starts blooming much earlier than the above described sorts and continues to flower until late in October. Handsome, long spikes of white flowers with lavender-pink eye. Height about 2 feet. Admirably adapted for the flower garden and for cemetery planting. Perfectly hardy. Blooming size plants,

30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.75, postpaid.

MISS VERBOOM. Rose-pink form of Miss Lingard. Early flowered; dependable bloomer and free from disease. Blooming size plants, 35c each; 3 for 70c; 12 for

**\$2.00**, postpaid.

Dwarf or Creeping Phlox, SUBULATA ROSEA. 5 inches. April-May. When in bloom the dwarf Phloxes are undoubtedly the most striking of all rock garden plants and during the balance of the season their thick evergreen foliage gives the impression of a soft green carpet. During April and May the plants are completely covered with the brilliant rose-pink flowers. Requires absolutely no care and will thrive in soil so poor that little else will live. Useful for carpeting dry banks, and valuable as a cemetery plant. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.

SUBULATA ALBA. White flowered form of above. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.

## **PYRETHRUM**

ROSEUM (Painted Daisy), Mixed. 2 to 2½ feet. May-June. Fine, showy, well-rounded plants with finely cut fern-like foliage. The large, bright, daisy-like flowers are invaluable for cutting, being borne on long stems and lasting a long time. They range in color from pure white and light pink to brilliant scarlet and dark red, with bright yellow centers. Perfectly hardy and easily grown. Pkt., 10c. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.50, post-

AUREUM (Golden Feather). Beautiful rich yellow foliage; small pure white flowers. One of the best foliage plants for edging, carpet bedding, etc. 6 inches. Most successfully treated as an annual. Pkt., 8c. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

## Platycodon (Japanese Bellflower)

GRANDIFLORA. 2 to 3 feet. June-August. One of the best perennials for general planting. Very free flowering. The large balloon-shaped buds are very interesting and striking. The flowers are star shaped, expanding to 2 or 3 inches in diameter.

Blue. Pkt., 10c. White, Pkt., 10c. Mixed Colors. Pkt., 10c.

Blooming size plants, your choice of colors, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.75, postpaid.

MARIESI. 12 to 18 inches. June-August. Large, open, bell-shaped flowers. Good for rockery. Pkt., 15c. Blooming size plants, blue or white, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

## Ranunculus (Buttercup)

REPENS. 12 inches. May-June. A pretty double flowering bright golden yellow buttercup, blooming in great abundance. Very hardy, of trailing habit which makes it suitable for covering unsightly banks. Succeeds well in poor soil. Suitable for the rockery and an excellent cut flower. Plants 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.



Buttercup (Ranunculus) 25c Each

## HARDY ORCHID

(Cypripedium) Lady Slipper or Moccasin Flower

Terrestrial Orchids hardy in the Northern States. Their large showy flowers are produced on 12 to 15 inch stems. They prefer a cool moist situation in shade or semi-shade. Especially suitable for planting in the rockery, around the pool and along streams.

HARDY ORCHID (Cypripedium Acaule), Pink. 35c each; 3 for 90c,

HARDY ORCHID (Cypripedium Pubescens), Yellow. 35c each; 3 for 90c, postpaid.

## New Hardy Perennial Snapdragon

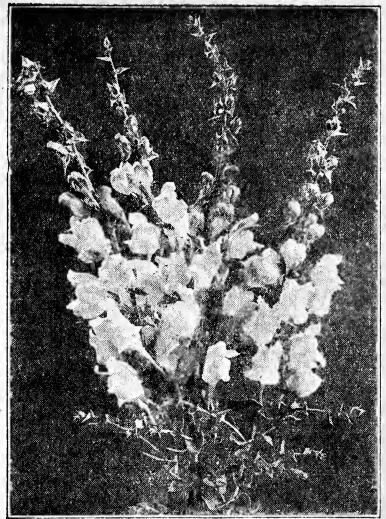
The Hardy Perennial Snapdragon (Linaria Macedonica Speciosa) is a splendid addition to the perennial flower garden. Grows to a height of 2 feet, and flowers are of good size. One of the best perennial yellow flowers on the market, and is becoming quite popular. Pkt., 15c.

SCABIOSA JAPONICA 2 feet. June-August. The perennial Scabiosa is one of the most handsome hardy perennials, especially valuable for cutting, the blossoms lasting a long time in water; color soft lavender-blue. Pkt., 10c. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.75, postpaid.

SEA HOLLY (Eryngium Planum). 2 feet. July-September. A pretty, bushy plant with thistle-like heads of flowers of a beautiful steel-blue. Very useful for the winter bouquet. Pkt., 10c. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

## **Excellent Rock Garden Plant**

SAPONARIA OCYMOIDES SPLENDENS. A trailing plant completely covered with rosy-pink flowers during May and June. An excellent rock garden plant. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.50, post-paid.



New Hardy Perennial Snapdragon

Stokesia Cyanea (30c Each)

## Stokesia Cyanea (Cornflower Aster)

2 feet. July-October. A beautiful hardy plant bearing freely its handsome cornflower-like blossoms, which measure from 4 to 5 inches across. It is of the easiest culture, succeeding in any corn supply position, and not

It is of the easiest culture, succeeding in any open sunny position, and not only is it desirable as a single plant in the hardy border, but it can also be used with fine effect in masses or beds of any size; indispensable for cutting. A fine mixture of white, blue, lavender and intermediate colors. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

## Hardy Perennial Salvia

SALVIA AZUREA. 3 to 4 feet. August-September. Tall spikes of pretty sky-blue flowers in great abundance. A native of the Rocky Mountains and very hardy. Pkt., 20c. Plants, 35c each; 3 for 75c; 12 for \$2.00, postpaid.



KING EDWARD. 3 ft. July-September. The largest of all daisies, flowers frequently measuring more than 5 inches across. An improvement over the common Shasta Daisy, and will stand the winter where the old variety freezes out. The flowers are pure white, with long stems; a beautiful cut flower, remaining in good condition a week or more. Pkt., 10c. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.

DECORATION DAY. 18 inches. May-June. The Decoration Day Daisy is very similar to the common Shasta Daisy except that flowers are in full bloom by Decoration Day. The pure white blossoms are most beautiful and are borne on long, stiff stems. Every spring the plants are a mass of bloom, making it a most showy plant for beds and borders. For cutting it is unsurpassed. It is a hardy perennial and will stand the most severe winters without protection. No flower garden is complete without a few plants of the Decoration Day Daisy. Pkt., 10c. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.

Special Hardy Plant Offer No. 67B

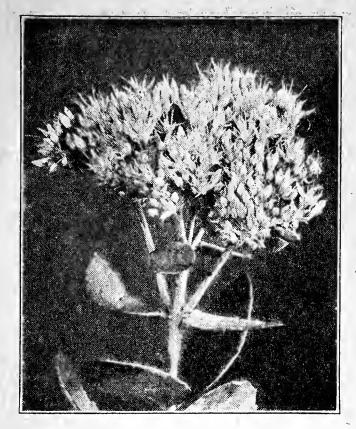
To encourage the planting of more hardy perennials, we offer our customers the following bargain collection: I Aquilegia; I Gypsophila; I Lychnis; I Platycodon; I Phlox; I Tritoma, all six for only 75c. Send today, and fresh-dug blooming size plants will be sent at the right time for planting. Satisfaction guaranteed. 75c per collection; three collections for \$2.00, postpaid.



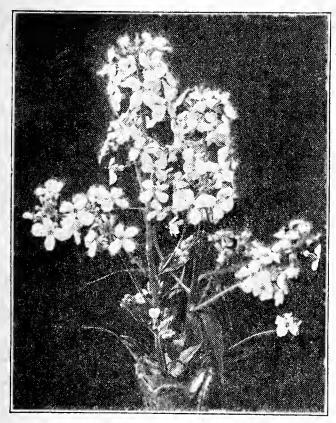
Hardy Salvia (35c Each; 12 for \$2.00)



Shasta Daisies (25c Each)



Sedum Spectabilis (25c Each; 12 for \$1.25)



Sweet Rocket (Hesperis)



Sweet William

## SEDUM (Stonecrop)

The perennial Sedums have been termed the backbone of the American rock garden, because they so readily adapt themselves to so many varied conditions. They will thrive most anywhere, but prefer sun and sandy soil. Nearly all varieties have thick evergreen foliage.

ALBUM. 2 to 3 inches. June—July. Thick waxy foliage and white flowers. Good rock plant. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.

SEXANGULARE. 4 inches. July. Bright yellow star-shaped flowers. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.

SPECTABILIS. 18 inches. August—September. One of the best of the tall Stone-crops. Broad thick leaves and immense flat heads of showy rose-colored flowers in the fall. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.

SPURIUM COCCINEUM. 6 inches. July. Very showy trailing variety with crimson flowers. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

STOLONIFERUM. 6 inches. July—August. A very desirable rock plant. Purplish-pink flowers in mid-summer. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.

## STATICE (Great Sea Lavender)

LATIFOLIA. 2 feet. August—September. Tufts of leathery leaves close to the ground, from which spring immense branching plumes of purplish-blue flowers. Although a fine border plant, it is prized more as a dried flower for winter bouquets. Pkt., 10c. Blooming size plants, 35c each; 3 for 75c, postpaid.

## Sweet Rocket

(Hesperis)

2 feet. May—June. An old-fash-ioned perennial garden plant; also known as Dame's Violet; spikes of showy, fragrant flowers resembling stocks. Excellent for naturalizing among shrubbery or for planting in a permanent border; grand for cut-

LAVENDER PURPLE. Pkt., 8c. WHITE. Pkt., 8c.

MIXED COLORS. Pkt., 8c.
Blooming size plants, e i the r
color, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

## Sweet William

Popular garden flower, showing a wonderful array of vivid colors in fancy patterns. Flowers are shaped, clustered and colored much like Phlox, the markings, however, being more sharply defined.

DUNNETTI. Dark crimson. Pkt., 10c.
NIGRICANS. Very dark, almost black. Pkt., 10c.
PINK BEAUTY. Salmon-rose. Pkt., 10c.
SCARLET BEAUTY. Rich, deep scarlet. Pkt.,

WHITE. Pkt., 10c.
MIXED COLORS. Pink, white, scarlet and
crimson shades, some with beautiful colored centers and borders, variegated, blended and suf-fused. A fine mixture of both delicate and gor-geous colors. Pkt., 10c. Blooming size plants, in mixture of colors only, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

TUNICA Saxifraga. 6 inches. July—September. A splendid dwarf hardy perennial plant, bearing throughout the entire season numerous delicate rose blossoms. Will thrive anywhere, but is especially adapted for the rockery or the margin of the hardy border. Pkt., 10c. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

## VERONICA (Blue Bird Flower)

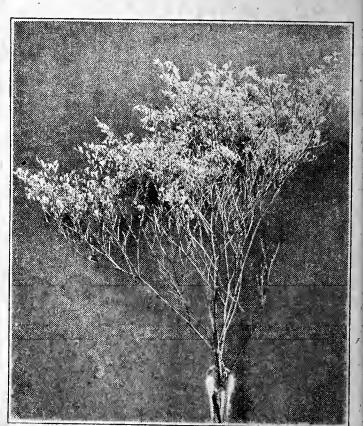
(Speedwell)

LONGIFOLIA BLUE. 2 feet. July-September. A fine hardy border plant with stout, erect spikes of intense deep blue flowers; fine for cutting.

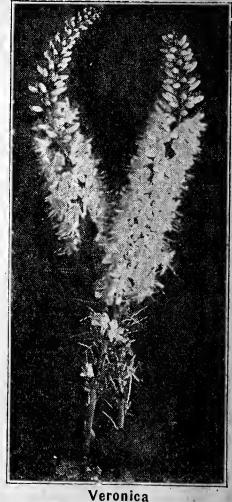
Pkt., 8c.

REPENS. 2-4 inches. May. Of trailing habit.

Good for rockery or stepping stones. Flowers blue. Blooming size plants, 35c each; 3 for 75c; 12 for \$2.00, postpaid.



Statice Latifolia (35c Each)



# Tritoma Red Hot Poker or Flame Flower

PFITZERI (Everblooming Red-Hot Poker Plant). 3 to 4 feet. August-October. The finest of all Tritomas, the flowers measuring 12 to 15 inches long by 4 inches in diameter. They are dazzling scarlet, the lower half of the flower being tinged with rich orange. A clump makes a striking show, surpassing the finest Canna for attractiveness. Bloom from August to October. If the roots are covered during the severe winter weather, they will live safely from year to year. Blooming size plants, 40c each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.00, postpaid.

TUCKII (South African Torch-Lily). One of the hardiest of the Tritomas. Yellow flowers tinged red are borne in dense racemes. Early flowering. Blooming size plants, 25c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.25,

postpaid.

EARLY PERPETUAL-FLOWERING HYBRIDS. The first of the Tritomas to bloom; massive flower spikes 3 feet tall; flowers of various colors, ranging from pale yellow to deep orange-scarlet. Pkt., 10c.

#### PERENNIAL VERBENA

One of the finest hardy perennial bedding and border plants; a strong, thrifty grower, about 12 inches high and covered

from early summer until late fall with a lavish profusion of handsome bright lavender-rose

flowers. One of the most satisfactory low-growing perennial plants; a continual display of blooms; fine for cutting and the best plant we know of for the rock garden. No seed. Blooming size plants, 35c each; 3 for 70c; 12 for \$2.00, postpaid.

THYMUS SERPYLLUM (Mother of Thyme).

green foliage growing only a few inches high. Good for the rockery and for planting between stepping stones. After it becomes established it can be moved with the lawn mover without material damage. Small purplish flowers appear in June. Blooming size plants, 30c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

VALERIANA feet. Coccinea (Jupiter's Beard). 2 to 3 et. June-August. Showy, hardy border plants; producing large flowerheads of delicately sweet

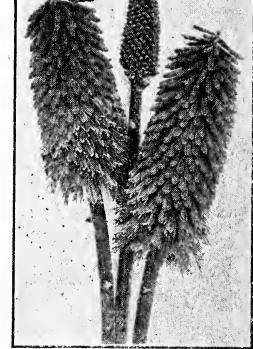
spicy fragrance. Fine for bouquets.

Red. Pkt., 8c. White. Pkt., 8c. Mixed Colors. Pkt., 8c.

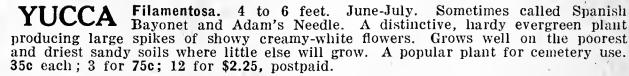


are expected, or wintered in cold frames. Pkt.,

in their rich reds and yellows is very effective. They are easily grown and last long as cut flowers. Not hardy in the Northern States, so should be taken into the house when fall frosts 10c.



Tritoma



VARIEGATED YUCCA Variegated form of above. The long leaves are striped bronze and green with a wide yellow edge. Very attractive foliage in both summer and winter. 40c each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.00, postpaid.



CORNUTA. 6 inches. Resemble pansies in shape and form, and while not as large, they bloom more profusely and for a longer time. Flower continuously 6 to 8 months in the year. Seed sown in April produces flowering plants by June. Our seed is a

choice mixture of all colors. Pkt., 10c.

JERSEY GEM. 6 inches. The most valuable Viola yet introduced. Succeeds in ny good soil, in a sunny position, blooming practically without a break from May to the end of the season. Flowers of large size; slightly perfumed; color is pure, rich violet; and borne on good stems about 6 inches long. A splendid subject for cutting. Field grown plants, 35c each; 3 for 80c; 12 for \$2.50, postpaid.

VIOLA APRICOT. The best of the recent introductions. A profuse bloomer with large flowers of rich apricot with orange shadings. Field grown plants, 35c each; 3

for 80c; 12 for \$2.50, postpaid.

VIOLA ODORATA (Sweet Violet). 4 to 6 inches. April-June. Perfectly hardy;

covered with flowers in early spring; wonderfully sweet scented; also suited for forcing. Blue or White, 15c per packet; 2 pkts.—one of each color—25c.

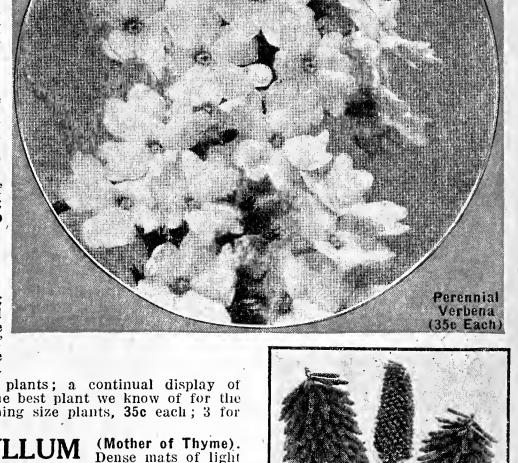
HARDY DOUBLE ENGLISH VIOLETS. 8 to 10 inches. May and October. This violet is entirely hardy, and if given a sheltered place, will usually begin to bloom before the snow is gone and usually blooms again in late fall. Deep violet-purple color and most deliciously fragrant; perfectly double. Will grow and bloom in any garden, and does especially well in the shade. Nothing is more appropriate for cemetery planting. Blooming size plants, 35c each; 3 for 75c; 12 for \$2.25, postpaid.

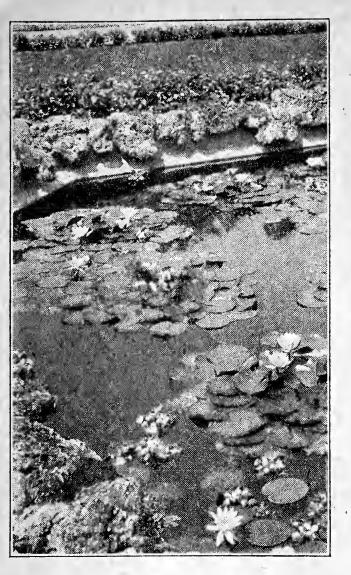


Viola Odorata



Yucoa Filamentosa (35c Each)





#### Water Lilies

#### that Grow and Bloom in a 15 Inch Bowl

It is not necessary to have an extensive lawn with a large pool in order to grow water lilies. Pigmy Water Lilies can be successfully grown in a small city apartment, provided you can spare a corner of a sunny window.

The Pigmy Water Lily (Nymphaea Tetragona) is especially suited for small quarters as it never feels cramped. This dwarf variety is the smallest species in cultivation and will grow and bloom indoors in an ordinary 15 inch crock. The leaves are 3 to 4 inches across. The white flowers, 1½ to 2½ inches across, are open from 3 to 4 days, closing at night.

It is a native of Siberia and perfectly hardy, so can be grown in the outdoor pool as well as inside. Grows readily from seed. Pkt., 25c.

SCAVENGERS FOR POOL OR AQUA-RIUM: Scavengers are the housekeepers of the pool or aquarium and are required in order to keep it in a sanitary condition for your fish. Snails feed on the green scum (algae) that develops in the pool. We will furnish a collection containing a general assortment of snails. 6 for 65c; 12 for \$1.00, postpaid.

#### Creeping Hyacinth

Similar to the well known Water Hyacinth, except in habit of growth. It sends out runners like a strawberry plant, each new plant coming into bloom when developed. By continually forming new plants this variety will be in bloom most of the summer. 50c each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.

# Hardy Water Lilies

#### Guaranteed to Grow and Bloom

Very few flowers will give you as much enjoyment with as little care and attention as the water lily. After planting it requires no care other than to add enough water to take care of evaporation. If you have no pool, very satisfactory results can be obtained by sinking a wooden tub in the flower bed or rock garden. The hardy water lilies may be left out over winter or may be kept in the basement.

We guarantee our water lilies to grow and bloom the first season, if planted between April 1st and July 15th. They may be safely planted any time before October 1st, but if started later than July 15th they may not bloom until the following summer. If the instructions furnished with each order are carefully followed you should experience no difficulty in successfully growing water lilies. While they are perfectly hardy, much depends on the manner in which they are prepared for the winter. Under these conditions we can only guarantee them during the first summer.

All other plants listed on this page are guaranteed to reach you in good growing

condition. Complete cultural directions sent with each order.

Water Lilies and other aquatic plants are shipped from April to October.

AURORA. The flowers open creamy yellow, changing through orange to deep red as the flower ages. \$1.50 each, postpaid.

CARMINE LAYDEKER. Carmine-rose flowers of good size. One of the best for the small pool as it is free flowering and requires little room. \$2.50 each, postpaid.

CHROMATELLA. Bright sulphur yellow flowers, 4 to 6 inches across. Free bloomer, producing an endless succession of large flowers. One of the easiest to grow. \$1.50 each, postpaid.

COMANCHE. The hardiest of all colored water lilies. A strong grower and very free flowering. Blooms open a rich apricot and later change to bronze. The leaves are olive green flaked brown. \$3.00 each, postpaid.

GLADSTONE. Pure white flowers with waxy petals and sulphur yellow heart. Of unusual size, often measuring 6 to 8 inches. Should be planted in preference to the common wild Odorata as it is a much finer flower. In addition the wild water lily does not prove satisfactory in the small pool. \$1.75 each, postpaid.

GLORIOSA. Deep carmine-rose changing to a deeper red with age. Large flowers freely produced throughout the season. Ideal for either pool or tub culture. \$3.00 each, postpaid.

HELEN FOWLER. Deep pink with lighter center. Very fragrant and free flowering. This variety is especially suited for the small pool or tub. \$1.25 each, postpaid.

JAMES BRYDON. Vivid rosy-crimson flowers 5 to 6 inches in diameter. Well adapted to tub culture. An early bloomer and a continuous one. \$2.75 each, postpaid.

NEPTUNE. Deep pink, flushed red at the base, and lighter at the tips of the petals. A very persistent bloomer. \$3.50 each, postpaid.

PINK OPAL. Deep pink flowers of medium size. Well adapted to the small pool; quite fragrant and one of the best water lilies for cutting. \$1.50 each, postpaid.

ROSE AREY. Brilliant pink, fragrant flowers with pointed and incurved petals. A rapid grower and one of the finest of the pinks. \$2.25 each, postpaid.

SUNRISE. Largest of all hardy water lilies; the blooms often reaching eleven inches or more. The enormous flowers of clear sulphur-yellow are the first to open in the morning. Blooms continually from spring until frost. Leaves deep green flecked red. \$3.50 each, postpaid.

#### Submerged or Oxygenating Plants

These plants are indispensable in a water garden or aquarium where fish are present. They absorb many of the impurities of the water and liberate oxygen, which is necessary for the life and health of your fish. They furnish cover and protection for the fish during the heat of the day, and also supply them with green food.

Plants received without roots can merely be placed in the water or potted in soil

where they will soon develop a root system.

We offer here a well balanced collection of ten plants for either indoors or out. The collection will contain such plants as Anacharis, Cabomba, Ludwigia, Myriophyllum, Sagittaria, Spatterdock and Vallisneria. 10 for \$1.25, postpaid.

# Other Aquatic Plants

Natural ponds and pools contain many small plants, both above and below the surface of the water. To make your pool as natural and realistic as possible you should include several of the plants listed below.

Arrowhead Cattail Japanese Umbrella Palm Papyrus (Egyptian Paper Plant) Pickerel Plant Primrose Creeper Sweet Flag Water Calla

Water Hyacinth Water Iris, Blue Water Iris, Yellow Water Poppy

35c each; 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.00, postpaid.

For description of Japanese Umbrella Palm, see page 76; Water Hyacinth, page 82; and Water Poppy, page 127.

# House Plants and Bedding Plants

Our greenhouse department offers you a very complete list of house plants that we can supply throughout the year. We exercise the greatest care in packing to insure against frost and breakage in transit. House plant orders are sometimes held up during sub-zero weather, but never for more than a few days.

The low prices we charge for small house plants give our customers an opportunity of securing a nice lot of choice plants at very little expense.

WE GUARANTEE ALL HOUSE PLANTS TO REACH YOU IN GOOD GROWING CONDITION and will replace free of charge any that do not, provided we are notified within ten days from date plants reach you.

Unless otherwise instructed, all house plants will be packed with damp moss on roots and delivered by parcel post, post-paid. We can send them with earth on roots, at the same prices, provided customers are willing to pay the express charges and will order in quantities of ten or more plants.

#### HOUSE PLANT SEEDS

Some of our customers prefer starting house plants from seed. Much enjoyment can be had growing some kinds in this way, so we are offering seed of such varieties as we can supply and recommend. Our house plant seeds are fresh and of the very best strains, and we sell them at the lowest prices for which strictly high grade seeds can be produced.

#### Abutilon (Flowering Maple)

A very attractive plant for the house and window box in winter and early spring and for bedding through the summer. Will flower in 6 months from seed, producing large bell-shaped flowers. Blooms indoors all seasons of the



Abutilon (Flowering Maple)—40c Each

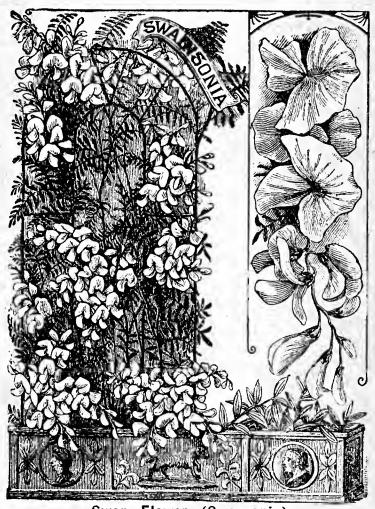
year and out-of-doors during summer and fall. The green and white variegated leaves are very decorative. In the southern part of the United States and in California it can be grown out-of-doors as a shrub. Seeds in mixture only, pkt., 20c; 3 pkts., 50c. Plants in Red, White, Pink or Yellow, 40c each, postpaid.

#### Swan Flower

(Swansonia)

ALBA. A very beautiful plant, both for flower bed and house culture. Flowers are pure, snow white, and borne in pretty sprays all over the plant. Plants, 25c each, postpaid.

ROSEA. Same as Alba except in color, which is bright, rich, rosy red. Very choice and rare. Plants, 35c each, postpaid.

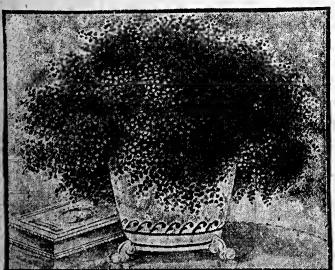


Swan Flower (Swansonia)

#### **NIGHT BLOOMING CEREUS**

Queen of the Night

A sub-tropical trailing plant native of Mexico. The large white flowers commence to open after sun-down and are at their best about midnight. When fully developed they often reach twelve

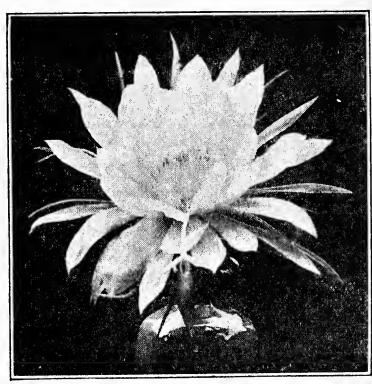


Baby Tears (Helxine)-30c Each

inches in diameter and over two pounds in weight. Of easy culture when grown indoors. Plants, 40c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid.

#### **BABY TEARS**

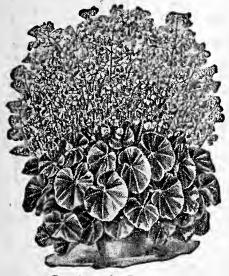
(Helxine or Irish Moss.) A compact, dense growing plant with miniature leaves. Of neat habit, and while forming a rounded mass of moss-like foliage, is of partially creeping or drooping tendency, which adds much to its attractiveness. Fine for shaded window boxes; grows easily under living-room conditions. In mild climates may be used in the rock garden and as an edging plant. Plants, 30c each, postpaid.



Night Blooming Cereus (40c Each)



Argentia Guttata Begonia



Beefsteak Begonia

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PRICES

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# Begonias

40c Each; 3 for \$1.00

Argentia Guttata (Tree Begonia). Grows 3 to 4 feet tall. Purple-bronze leaves with silver markings; white flowers.

BEEFSTEAK (Feastii).

A low spreading Begonia, with circular leaves, red beneath and dark glossy green above, and of heavy texture. Dainty coral-red flowers. The finest pot Begonia for house culture. Grown as easily as a Geranium

CHRISTMAS RED One of the best flowering Begonias. The flowers are bright cherry color, changing to coral-red. Foliage rich, glossy green, shaded deep bronze. The popularity of this Begonia is well deserved from the fact that it is easily grown and very satisfactory both as a winter house plant and for bedding purposes.

Coralline Lucerne One of the finest and most beautiful varieties. Blooms last from a month to six weeks, borne in immense clusters 12 to 18 inches across, almost hiding the plant. Color bright coral red, changing to delicate pink.

#### HARDY BEGONIA

(Evansiana). Here is one of the best house and garden plants; a rapid, healthy grower, very profuse bloomer with beautiful foliage and clusters of pink flowers. The plant reestablishes itself in the spring from root tubers.



Rex Begonia (Lord Palmerson)-40c Each

#### Giant Painted Leaf or Rex Begonias

Few house plants are so entirely satisfactory in every way as the Rex Begonias. They are rich in color and beautiful in design and are easily handled under almost any condition. The large, broad leaves, high colorings and exquisite markings make them invaluable as decorative plants for house culture. They make excellent plants for baskets and vases if given plenty of moisture and not exposed to the full rays of the sun. We can supply the following six varieties:

LOUISE CLOSSON. A very odd combination of colors, being deep maroon, with broad band of silvery-rose, edged bronze.

LORD PALMERSON. Leaves have dark bronze center, silver band and irregular bronze border, blotched and speckled into the silver.

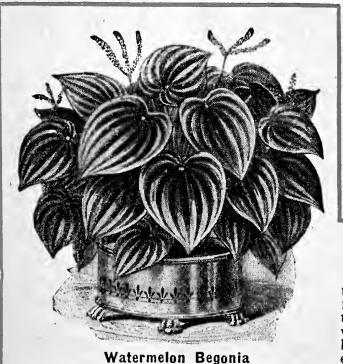
LESOUDSII. Beautifully marked bronze and red. A cross between Diadema and Rex. One of the finest.

MAGNIFICA. Dark reddish-green center; light metal band bordered with light shade of green. Mottled.

BEAUTY OF PEMBROKE. Curled leaf; red and bronze.

PERLE DE PARIS. Large, light silvery foliage. Erect grower; pink flowers.

PRICES: Your choice of the above Rex or Painted Leaf Begonias at 40c each; 3 for \$1.00; or six for \$1.75, postpaid.



VENUS (Mrs. Townsend). A new Begonia, distinctly different. Its dark, glossy green, deeply cut leaves combined with its free flowering habit, make it one of the most attractive plants grown. Blooms the year around.

PRICES: Your choice of the above dense bushes, which from May Begonias at 40c each; 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.75, postpaid. den with flowers. As a house

#### Watermelon Begonia

An excellent house plant for the window or table. The leaves withstand the dry air of rooms better than the majority of plants. Leaves thick and waxy-like, are distinctly variegated white and green, and have the appearance of being powdered with frosted silver. Plants, 35c each, postpaid.

#### Begonia Seed

SEMPERFLORENS
HYBRIDS. As a bedding plant, it ranks with Coleus and Geraniums. Of sturdy growth, about one foot high, forming dense bushes, which from May until frost are completely hidden with flowers. As a house plant, it blooms throughout the entire year. A fine mixture of colors, from pure white to deepest crimson. Pkt., 10c.

VERNON. Bright orangecarmine flowers; deep red foliage. A fine house plant and unsurpassed as a bedding variety. Pkt., 10c.



Bougainvillea



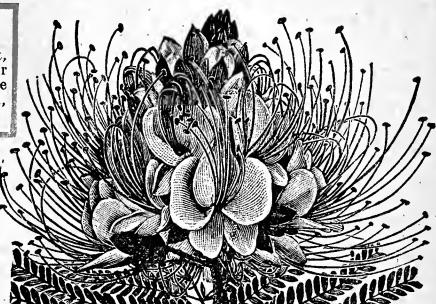
Brazilian Plume Plant

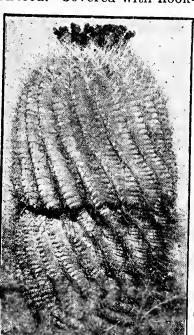


Cigar Plant

#### Bird of Paradise

(Poinciana Gilliesi.) The color of the flower is a rich golden yellow, it measures 21/4 inches across, and is produced in very large trusses. The most beautiful part of the flower is the long incurved stamens and pistils which are spread out in fan-like form and are of bright crimson color. The foliage is also highly decorative. It should be grown as a tub plant, except in the warmer parts of the South, where it is hardy. If the seeds are started early it should produce blooms the first year. Pkt., 10c. Plants, 35c each, postpaid.

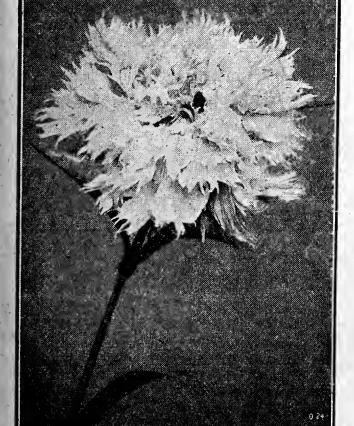




Fish Hook Cactus

actly the shape of fish hooks and from 21/2 to 3 inches in length. The hooks are very hard, almost as strong as steel, and as sharp as the finest manufactured fish hook. It is claimed that they have been used by Indians of the Southwest for fish hooks for many centuries. The famous Cactus Candy is also made from this plant. The Fish Hook Cactus is easily grown from seed. With each packet of seed we will send complete cultural directions, recipe for making the candy, and one fullgrown Indian Fish Hook. Pkt., 15c. Plants, \$1.00 each, postpaid.





Perpetual Chabaud Carnation

#### Cigar Plant

A charming compact house plant, literally covered with scarlet tubular flowers throughout the year. Simple culture. Pkt., 10c. Plants, 35c each, postpaid.

BRAZILIAN PLUME PLANT A native of Brazil. It is of the easiest possible culture, and seems to do well everywhere, requiring but little attention. It is a strong, rapid grower, throwing many shoots, each of which is tipped with beautiful pink, plume-like flowers. Plants, 30c each, postpaid.

#### Chinese Paper Plant

(Bougainvillea)

Brilliant rosy-crimson blossoms produced from early March until midsummer. A most desirable window garden plant. Can be trained into a beautiful outdoor climber in the South. Plants, 40c each, postpaid.

#### CHOICE CACTUS PLANTS

The Desert Cactus makes a most interesting house plant. Extremely odd and curious. Many have gorgeous and beautiful sweet scented blossoms, and bloom profusely. These oddest of all plants grow in many shapes and sizes, are easily grown, thrive and bloom with very little care, and endure the heat

and dryness of the ordinary living room.

If you are an admirer of Cactus plants we can supply you with a collection that will please you. Our selection of varieties, 35c each; 3 for 90c; 7 for \$2.00; each plant a different variety and delivered to you prepaid.

CACTUS SEED in mixture of 30 choice varieties. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.

#### Perpetual Chabaud Carnations

This is a particularly fine strain of giant-flowering Carnations which will bloom the first year if seed is sown early in the Spring. The plants make

> ers. In many sections of the country they do well outdoors, but it is when grown in the greenhouse that the flowers develop to their best. Seed in mixture of colors only. Pkt., Large - Flowered Carnation Plants in separate colors—

compact bushes 2 to 3 feet

tall and bear, on tall stems, a

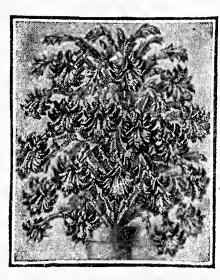
mass of nicely fringed, in-

tensely fragrant double flow-

Pink, White, Red and Yellow -30c each; 3 or more at 25c each; or 12 or more at 20c each, postpaid.

#### Christmas Cactus

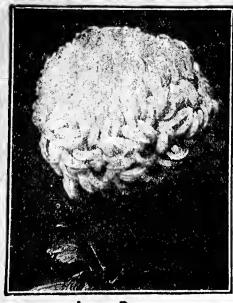
An early flowering crimsonscarlet variety with long, drooping flowers borne in great profusion. Easy to grow. Plants, 35c each, postpaid.



Christmas Cactus

#### Century · Plant

An interesting plant with large, thick, leathery, grayish green, lance-like leaves. Tall flower spikes; large clusters of flowers; individual blossoms 21/2 to 234 inches across. Useful as a garden or lawn specimen in summer and a house plant in winter. Plants, 35c each, postpaid.



Lena Baum



Mrs. Waits



Pink Mistletoe



Liberty Bell

#### Chrysanthemums 30c each; 3 for 75c; 12 for \$2.40

The Chrysanthemum is the queen of autumn flowers. For massive blooms, grandeur of colors, ease of culture, and certainty to flower, there is no plant that will surpass them.

While there are a great many varieties to choose from, we have selected those which we believe will give our customers the most enjoyment.

#### Giant Exhibition Chrysanthemums

EARLY FROST. Early. The earliest large pure white variety. Under proper conditions it flowers as early as late July.

**ENCHANTRESS.** Early. Large flowers of rose-pink with a silver sheen reverse.

GOLDEN GLORY. Early. Immense golden yellow globular flowers. A good cut flower.

HARVARD. Late. Large crimson-scarlet flowers, full double with reflexed petals. One of the best.

LIBERTY BELL. Mid-season. A beautiful new variety with salmon-pink incurved petals.

MRS. DAVID LLOYD GEORGE. Mid-season. Extremely large, often measuring nine inches across. Rich crimson with gold tipped petals. Vigorous and healthy.

MRS. NELLIE ROSS. Late. Magnificent ball type flower of clear yellow. One of the best.

PINK MISTLETOE. Late. Ball type flowers of lovely light pink with incurved petals. A popular commercial variety.

SILVER SHEEN. Mid-season. Immense white flowers with long drooping petals showing a tinge of pink.

TOWANTIC. Late. Enormous pure white flowers produced on strong stems for Thanksgiving.

UNAKA. Early. Large flowers with broad incurved petals of lavender-pink. In bloom October first.

WHITTIER. Mid-season. An excellent bright yellow with incurved petals.

#### Baby, Pompon or Button Chrysanthemums

Perfect miniature double flowers produced from late summer throughout the fall. Will live outside with protection except in the extreme north. Bronze, Yellow, Pink, White. Your choice of colors.

#### Prices

of Chrysanthemums

Take your choice of the Chrysanthemum plants listed on this page, at 30c each; 3 or more at 25c each; or 12 or more at 20c each, postpaid.

# Anemone Flowered Chrysanthemums

An attractive novelty type having a high, tufted crown surrounded by a single row of broad outer petals. Pink, White, Yellow, Red. Your choice of colors.

#### **FANCY LEAVED COLEUS**

Probably the most popular of all foliage plants for bedding purposes and used equally as well as a winter plant or window box specimen.

AUTUMN TINTS. Red, blotched yellow.

BUTTERFLY. Light green leaves splashed bronze.

FIRE BRAND. Dazzling scarlet. One of the showiest.

SENSATION. Maroon with red center.

SUNRISE. Light vermilion edged green and yellow.

YELLOW BIRD. Bright golden yellow.



Coleus

#### Trailing Queen Coleus

An excellent variety for hanging baskets, vases and porch boxes. Center of leaves fiery red surrounded by deep maroon and edged olive green. Plants, 25c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.80, postpaid.

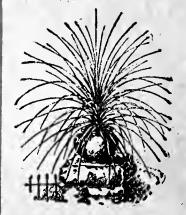
# PRICES: Your choice of above varieties at 25c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.80, postpaid.

COLEUS SEED
W HYBRIDS Our

RAINBOW HYBRIDS. Our Rainbow Hybrid seeds are saved from a fine assortment of selected plants and excelled only by our Large-Leaved Hybrids. Pkt., 15c.

LARGE-LEAVED HYBRIDS. Leaves often measure 10 inches in length and 8 inches in width, heart-shaped and beautifully crimped, toothed and frilled; handsomely variegated and with color combinations that are remarkably rich. The finest strain of Colcus seed ever offered. Pkt., 25c.

#### Dracaena Indivisa



Slender, drooping leaves of several shades of green with delicate stripings of yellow and red. Very graceful in habit and an exceedingly hands o me ornamental plant for the conservatory, window box, vase or urn. Pkt., 10c. Plants, 25c each, postpaid.

Cyclamens are, without question, one of the best and most beautiful house plants. Our Cyclamen seed is grown for us by a specialist, seed being selected only from plants of superior bloom and foliage. The flowers are unsurpassed for size, color and substance. The seed we offer is a mixture of bright red, dark red, light pink, deep pink, salmon, white, white with carmine eye, etc. In fact, the colors range from white to darkest crimson, with all intermediate shades.

Prize Mixture of Giants. large and choice. Pkt. (10 seeds), 20c;

3 pkts., 50c; 10 pkts., \$1.50.

Good Mixture. A very fine strain, but not as large as our Prize Mixture of Giants. Pkt. (10 seeds), 15c; 2 pkts., 25c; 10 pkts., \$1.00.

Cyclamen Plants in the following colors: Red, Pink, White. 40c each;

3 for \$1.00, postpaid.



Calceolaria

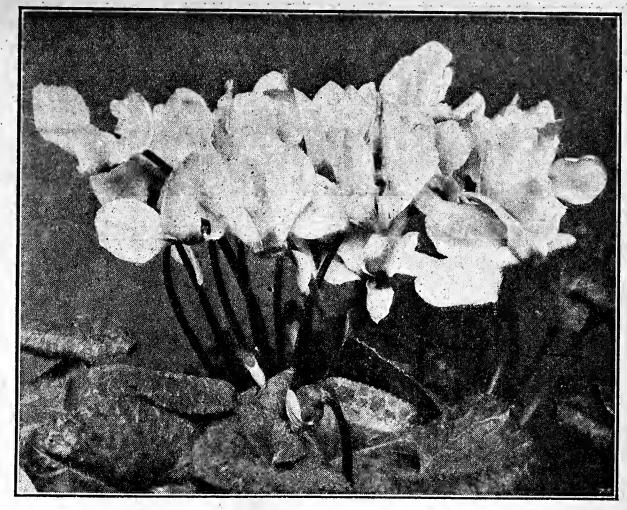
#### CALCEOLARIA

An ornamental house plant, producing a mass of beautiful pocket-like flowers in the spring; a universal favorite with florists. The Calceolaria is grown from seed. Our select strain of seed is, we believe, the finest in cultivation; flowers large in size and beautifully spotted and blotched in exceedingly rich and varied colors; very free flowering. No plants to offer. Seed, 35c per pkt.; 3 pkts., \$1.00.

#### ROWN OF THORNS

(Euphorbia Splendens). A curious plant, with thick, fleshy twining stems, which are covered with spines nearly an inch in length. The foliage is bright green and the flowers are a beautiful coral-pink. Plants, 40c each, postpaid.





Prize Giant Cyclamen (40c Each; 3 for \$1.00)

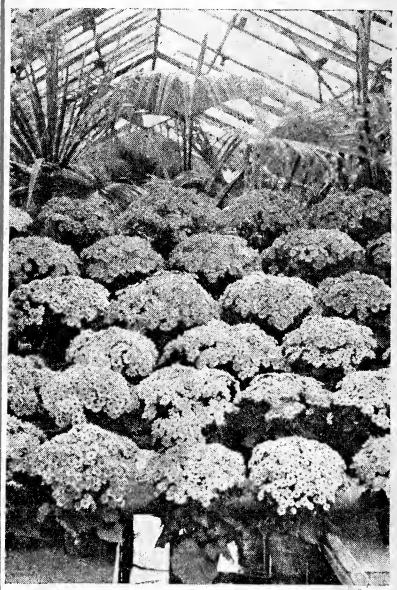


Comet Plant

#### Comet Plant

(Acalypha Sanderii)

A most desirable addition to any collection of house plants. From the axil, of each of the attractive dark green leaves springs a long drooping spike of glowing crimson-scarlet, nearly an inch in diameter and from 18 to 24 inches long, very velvety in texture, reminding one of a very long piece of brilliant chenille. Plants, 40c each, postpaid.

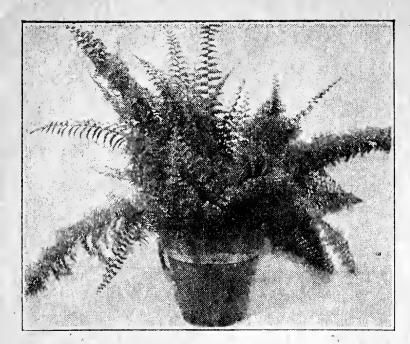


Giant Exhibition Cineraria (30c Each)

#### GIANT CINERARIA

Our Giant Exhibition Strain of Cineraria is unsurpassed in size of flower, bright colors, and delicate fragrance. Plants grow into round bushes, completely covered by the massive For Christmas blooming, seed should be sown in April; for blooming during early spring, June or July sowing should be made. Sow seed in shallow boxes containing a fine, fairly sandy soil. Keep shaded and moist until seedlings appear. Transplant into other boxes as soon as they are large enough to be handled, and into small pots when the plants attain a fair size. Cinerarias delight in a rich soil, cool and airy rooms and plenty of light. Pkt., 25c; 3 pkts., 60c. Plants, 30c each, postpaid.

(STAR CINERARIA). A beautiful flowering plant for the house or conservatory during the late winter and early spring Cineraria Radiata months. Large, spreading panicles of starry flowers in many pleasing shades of crimson, rose, blush, white, azure and violet. The extreme grace and elegance of the plant and flowers make them wonderfully effective for the house and conservatory, and especially so for church decorations; also useful for cutting. Pkt., 15c. Plants, 30c each, postpaid.



Ostrich Plume Fern

## CHOICE HOUSE FERNS

BOSTON. A wonderfully healthy Fern with long, drooping fronds which often attain a length of 6 to 8 feet. Plants, 30c each, postpaid.

CRESTED FERN. A dwarf variety of graceful and compact habit. Each branch has a row of miniature fronds at right angles to the mid-rib giving the plant a plumy effect. Plants, 30c each, postpaid.

DWARF or BUSH BOSTON. A dwarf, compact form of the Boston Fern. Forms a very bushy plant. Plants, 30c each, postpaid.

HOLLY FERN. Not a true fern, but listed here because of its similarity in appearance and habit. Rich glossy green leaves about the size of a rose leaf. Of easy culture and a very satisfactory pot plant. Plants, 40c each, postpaid.

MAIDEN HAIR. An exceedingly beautiful and healthy dark green variety, the fronds of which are developed at the ends into bunching tasseled heads. A most desirable house plant; nothing else like it. Plants, 30c each, postpaid.

MOSS FERN. An upright growing plant with numerous feather stems branching from the base and forming a dense tuft. Grows only 10 to 12 inches high. Plants, 40c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid.

OSTRICH PLUME. One of the casiest and healthiest ferns to grow. Each frond is delicately cut and curved somewhat resembling the grace of an ostrich plume. Fronds often measure a foot in width. Plants, 30c each, postpaid.

ROOSEVELT. Dense, massive, broad fronds, often measuring 6 inches or more across and 5 or 6 feet long. The divided pinnae or miniature fronds which are so gracefully arranged, keep growing constantly, overlapping each other and showing two shades of green, while the center and main part of the frond is rich dark green, the contrast producing a beautiful effect. Plants, 30c each, postpaid.

ferns. Of the Boston type, but narrower fronds growing more erect. Thrives with very little attention. Plants, 30c each, postpaid.

WHITMANI. A dense, compact Fern of graceful appearance. Wonderfully valuable on account of its easy culture and hardiness Dark green, irregular shaped fronds, which are heavily imbricated, the pinnae overlap-ping and so formed as to resemble miniature ferns. Plants, 30c each, postpaid.



Fountain Plant

A most beautiful and highly prized plant, suitable either for bedding or pot culture. Has long, wiry, leafless, drooping sprays, often over twenty inches in length, and bearing quantities of long tubular flowers of the most vivid scarlet color. The great masses of bloom are like a fountain of coral, scarlet and green. Plants, 35c each, postpaid.



Asparagus Plumosus

#### Shower of Gold (Genista)

This beautiful plant well deserves the great popularity it has gained during the past few years. The drooping branches are covered with delicate sage-green foliage, and every twig tipped with a long raceme of exquisite peashaped blossoms of rich golden yellow, almost hiding the foliage. Grows and flowers freely with ordinary care, and is usually a mass of bloom at Easter time. Plants, 30c each, postpaid.

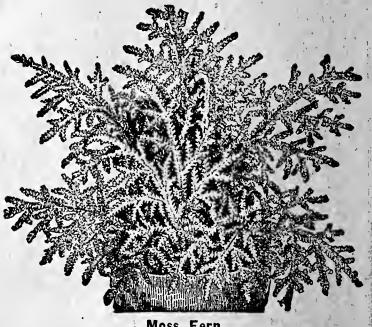
#### Japanese Umbrella Palm



Umbrella Palm

handsome orna mental palm - like plant. Grows in water or soil. Indispensable for aquariums, fountains or pools. Pkt., 10c. Plants, 35c each, postpaid.

Not a true



Moss Fern

#### Asparagus Ferns

PLUMOSUS (Lace Fern). Very finely divided feathery foliage. Seed, 15c per packet. Plants, 25c each, postpaid.

SPRENGER! (Feather Fern). Long, drooping branches; fine for hanging baskets and window boxes. Seed, 10c per packet. Plants, 25c each, postpaid.



# French or Porch Hydrangeas

These are the Hydrangeas that are so extensively grown by florists. They are especially adapted for pot or tub plants for indoor, porch, lawn or garden decoration. In some soils the flowers turn blue, and this color can be secured artificially by mixing one-half pound of broken alum with each one-half bushel of soil. These Hydrangeas are easily grown and will many times repay you for the little time required in caring for them. Hardy out of doors in mild climates.

AVALANCHE. Best early white; large and very free flowering.

BLUE PRINCE. A new variety producing immense flower heads of lavender-

pink changing to blue under soil conditions described above.

GOLIATH. The darkest of the red Hydrangeas. Very large.

MME. CHATTARD. Large deep salmon-pink florets in immense, compact

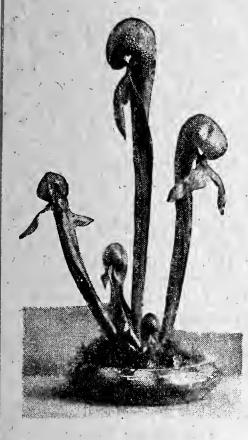
flower heads.

RADIANT. Large clusters of rosy amber flowers changing to bright pink. TROPHEE. One of the best Hydrangeas for forcing. Large heads of water-melon-red flowers. Darkest of all the so-called red Hydrangeas.

PRICES: Your choice of the above Hydrangeas at 35c each, postpaid.

# Darlingtonia

#### Snake Headed, Flesh Eating Plant



One of the queerest and most fascinating plants known to man. It resembles the hooded cobra of the jungles of India, and is one of the few carnivorous plants known to science.

The plant has no leaves, the stalks are twisted and funnel shape, small at the bottom, growing larger with a rounded hood at the top from which hang two crimson and green appendages which have the appearance of feelers or whis-kers, is of strik-

ing aspect and beautiful in coloring.

The top of the hood is beautifully mottled by white translucent areas through which the interior is lighted. Both hood and appendages bear many honey glands, the excretion from which tempts bugs, ants, flies, in fact all kinds of insects toward the mouth, an orifice on the under side of the hood, and are lured inside the funnel. side of the hood, and are lured inside the funnellike stem from which they can not come back, as the stem is lined with innumerable little hair-like prongs all pointing downward, and once they get below a few of these points they have to continue on downward where the victim is absorbed in the digestive fluid or liquid in the bottom of

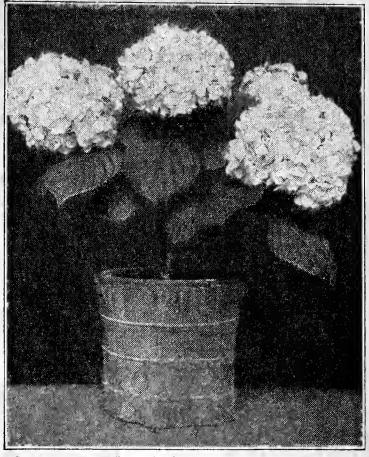
The Darlingtonia is usually grown as a house plant, in pots of sandy soil and leaf mould. It is, however, a perennial which will grow year after vear out of doors, provided it is given a shady position and never allowed to become dry. They blossom in the spring, having beautiful purple

If kept in a room free from all insects, it is advisable once or twice weekly to place a few small particles of raw beef, about the size of a grain of wheat, in the orifice for its nourishment; however, if placed where there are other plants, in the average room, a sufficient number of insects will be attracted from them, making artificial feeding unnecessary.

Plants shipped prepaid, anywhere in the United States, at \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

#### Special Offer

6 French Hydrangeas, one of each of the above varieties, for only \$1.75, postpaid.



French Hydrangea

## Everblooming Impatiens or Sultana Hybrids

One of the most beautiful and free blooming bedding or house plants. They produce a great abundance of bright colored flowers which are well shown off by a background of heavy, rich foliage. Colors pink, orange-pink and brilliant vermilion. Continuous bloom may be expected from July to October. We can supply both seed and plants in finest mixture of colors. Pkt., 25c. Plants, 30c each, postpaid.

LEMON VERBENA A universal and well known favorite that is grown principally for its fragrant lemon-scented foliage. It is a low growing, tender plant with white flowers; may be grown in the garden in the summer and in pots in winter. Its pale green delightfully scented foliage is fine for bouquets and goes well with any flower; leaves may be dried and laid among linens. Pkt., 15c. Plants, 30c each, postpaid.

# Burgess' Fuchsias

One of the most desirable house plants grown. In most varieties the sepals and corolla are of a different color, making a very pleasing combination. Of easy culture and will thrive

in the temperature of an ordinary living

CARMELIATA. The finest of all double white Fuchsias. Very free flowering; scarlet and pure white.

LIBERTY BELL. Largest flowering Fuchsia in cultivation. Tall and branching like a tree. The glossy green leaves are veined crimson. The enormous scarlet and purple flowers, 3½ inches across, are very double.

LITTLE BEAUTY. One of the most desirable varieties in cultivation. Neat, compact habit, well branched and a constant profusion of bloom. Scarlet and violet-purple.

SPECIOSA. Rosy carmine. A compact grower.

TROPHEE. An easy variety to grow and a continuous bloomer. Double flowers, waxy white and violet-blue.

TRAILING QUEEN. Entirely different from other varieties in its trailing habit. A good subject for the fernery or hanging basket. Flowers scarlet and purple produced in large drooping clusters.

PRICES Take your choice of the above Fuchsias at 30c each, postpaid. FUCHSIA SEED. A

A fine mixture of

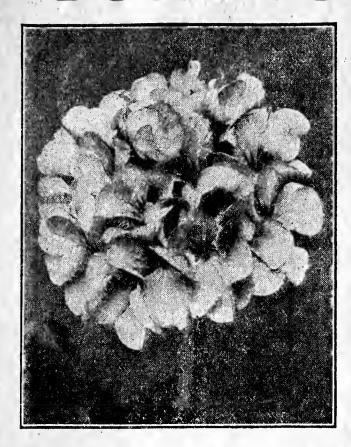
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Fuchsia

varieties. Pkt., 25c.

## DOUBLE GERANIUMS



#### Fancy Leaved Geraniums

GOLDEN BRONZE. Foliage bright golden yellow with wide zone of chestnut-brown and scarlet flowers.

HAPPY THOUGHT. Dark green foliage, creamy center with dark zone. Scarlet flowers.

MME. SALLEROI. Small green leaves, edged white. Small variegated flowers of pink and white.

MRS. POLLOCK. Foliage bronzy red, bordered crimson and edged yellow. Flowers orange-red. A rapid grower and the most satisfactory tri-color.

VARIEGATED S. A. NUTT. edged white; flowers crimson. A good grower and a free bloomer.

WM. LANGGUTH. Identical with Mrs. Parker except in color of flower which is brilliant scarlet.

ALPHONSE RICARD. Enormous trusses of semi-double flowers of brilliant orange-red. One of the

AMERICAN BEAUTY. Extremely large heads of two inch flowers resembling the American Beauty Rose in color. As many as eight spikes in bloom at one time. Foliage green and brown.

FIAT. Intense salmon-pink. A good grower and very showy.

JEAN VIAUD. Clear rosy-pink with white blotch in center. Enormous trusses fifteen inches in diameter borne well above the foliage. A free bloomer.

MME. BUCHNER. Large flowers of pure white. Vigorous grower.

RADIO RED. Perhaps the most popular Geranium in existence. Brilliant scarlet. A good bedder, and a free bloomer.

S. A. NUTT. Enormous flower heads of bright crimson. A compact grower with fine foliage.

VIOLET BEAUTY. Unusual color in Geraniums. Rich velvety violet tinged red. Makes a fine specimen plant.



Double Silver-leaved Geranium, Wm. Langguth (30c Each)

# Trailing lvy Geraniums

(30c Each)

#### Ivy Geraniums

Of trailing habit, with ivy-shaped foliage and flowers of exquisite colors. Fine for hanging baskets and urns. Your choice of colors: Pink, Red and White.

#### Strawberry Geranium

Leaves nearly round, striped freely with silver bands; blooms white, of great beauty and borne in spikes nearly 12 inches high. The plant is of easiest growth; will stand neglect and mistreatment; adapted for hanging baskets, vases, etc.



Strawberry Geranium (30c Each)

#### Scented-Leaved Geraniums

LEMON. Foliage strongly lemon-scented. An old favorite. NUTMEG. Foliage has the fragrance of the Nutmeg. Flowers

OAKLEAF. Oak-shaped leaves; walnut scented. Flowers pink

ROSE SCENTED. Red flowers, rose-scented foliage. SKELETON LEAF. One of the most popular of the scented leaved varieties. Deep cut fern-like foliage; cerise flowers.

#### Pansy Geraniums

(Pelargonium or Lady Washington)

The gorgeous colorings of the Pansy Geraniums rival the Azalea for beauty. They are very free bloomers and of easy

EASTER GREETINGS. Fiery amaranth-red.

GARDENER'S JOY. Apple blossom pink.

LUCY BECKER. Rosy-pink.

MME. LAYLE. A most unusual variety because of its color, a combination of pink, white, purple and black. A beautiful flower and a profuse bloomer.

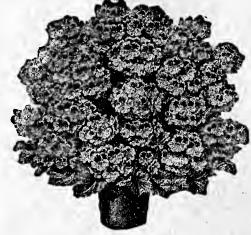
SCHWABEN MAID. Large reddish-carmine with black

blotches

SPRINGTIME. An unusual shade of salmon-pink.

#### PRICES of Geraniums

Take your choice of the Geranium plants listed on this page, at 30c each; 6 or more at 25c each; or 12 or more at 20c each. All plants are delivered prepaid, by parcel post, at these prices, and are guaranteed to reach you in good growing condition.



Pansy Geranium (30c Each)

#### Geranium Seed

A superb strain of the finest American and European varieties, many of them with zoned and variegated leaves. A choice mixture of all colors. Very interesting to grow from seed, and easily grown. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.

# Night Blooming Jasmine

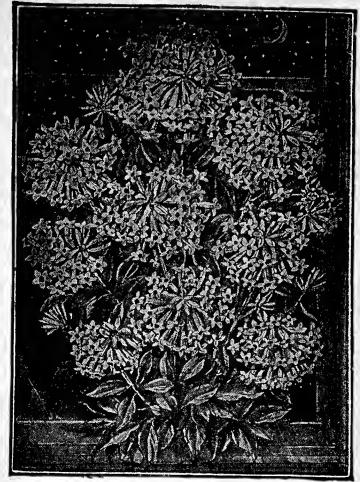
The Night Blooming Jasmine (Cestrum Parqui) is a highly prized house plant. The foliage is a deep green color; produces richly fragrant blooms; very fragrant at night. Plants, 30c each.



Giant Heliotrope Midnight (25c Each)



Chinese Hibiscus (25c Each)



Night Blooming Jasmine (30c Each)

#### Sweet Scented Heliotrope

These are universal favorites on account of their delightful fragrance. Flower equally well as bedding plants in summer or as pot plants during the winter.

MIDNIGHT. New giant-flowered, wonderful Heliotrope; darkest lavender-purple. Plants, 25c each, postpaid.

PICCOLA. Large blue flowers. Plants, 25c each, postpaid. SNOW QUEEN. Large beautiful flowers, pure white. Plants, 25c each, postpaid.

KING OF THE BLACKS. Deep purple; almost black. Darkest of all Heliotropes. Very fine. No plants to offer. Seed, 15c per

PRIZE MIXTURE. Flowers of great size and ranging in shade from dark blue to lilac. Pkt., 10c.

#### Chinese Hibiscus

The Chinese Hibiscus in bloom is one of the most striking plants in existence. The well formed flowers are of immense size. A popular outdoor plant in mild climates, and a wonderful house plant in the North.

BRILLIANT QUEEN. Rapid grower. Extremely large double

flowers, vermilion-scarlet. One of the best.

GRANDIFLORA. Rich Scarlet.

MINIATUS. Bright Vermilion.

ORANGE BEAUTY. Large double orange flowers. Very attractive.

PEACHBLOW. Rich clear pink. Double.

SUBVIOLACEOUS. Enormous violet tinted flowers.

Prices: Your choice of the above Hibiscus plants, at 25c each; 6 for \$1.20, postpaid.



Jerusalem Cherry

A very showy house plant, loaded with ornamental "cherries," which turn to glossy scarlet when ripe. Fine for Thanksgiving and Christmas decoration. The bright cherries, which are not edible, will hang on the plant all winter; foliage always green and very ornamental. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c. Plants, 25c each, postpaid.

#### JADE PLANT

or Japanese Rubber Plant

(Crassula Arborescens)

An attractive novelty from the Orient. Thick waxy foliage of jade green. Being a succulent, it will withstand the hot dry atmosphere of the average living room. A fine pot plant. Plants, 35c each; 3 for 90c, postpaid.



Jade Plant (35c Each)

#### Parlor or German Ivy

A rapid growing trailing plant especially suited for indoor hanging baskets, vases and trellis work. Small glossy green leaves. Plants, 25c each, postpaid.

#### English Ivy

Though listed among the hardy vines this variety is more popular as a house plant. A vigorous grower. May be trimmed into many shapes, or trained on a trellis or over a window. Pot plants, 30c each; field grown, 60c, postpaid.

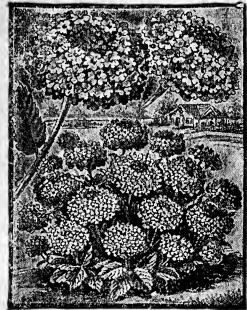
#### VARIEGATED **ENGLISH IVY**

Except that it is not hardy it grows exactly as the above. Large dark green leaves blotched cream and pure white. Plants, 35c each,

#### POINSETTIA

Christmas Red

Tropical plant with brilliant red bracts surrounding the flowers. Too well known to require much description. Indispensable for table decoration and for cut flowers at Christmas time. Plants, 40c



Lantana Michael Schmidt (25c Each)

## Lantanas

The unexcelled everblooming bedding or border plant; also used as pot plant, in hanging baskets, porch boxes and vases. Almost constant blooming.

MICHAEL SCHMIDT. Brilliant yel-

low, passing to pure vermilion.

PINK BEAUTY. Flower heads in various shades of pink with yellow center; large.

RADIATION. Brilliant scarlet with

orange-yellow center.

**SNOW WREATH.** Pure white. The best white and a good bloomer.

TETHYS. Beautiful lemon yellow.

WEEPING LANTANA (Russelia Elegantissima). Very striking semi-trailing hanging baskets, vases, window boxes.

plant, especially adapted for hanging baskets, vases, window boxes, etc. Large clusters of lilac or rosy-pink flowers. Very beautiful.

Prices: Your choice of above Lantana plants at 25c each, postpaid.

LANTANA SEED. Everblooming Hybrids. One of the most desirable half-hardy perennial house or bedding plants. Verbena-like heads of orange, white, rose, crimson and various red shades; constantly in bloom. 2 to 3 feet. Fine mixture of colors. Pkt., 10c.



Philippine Copper Plant

#### Blue Lily of the Nile

A splendid ornamental plant with bright evergreen foliage spreading 3 or 4 feet and surmounted with spikes of bright blue flowers which remain in bloom for a long period. It is a most desirable tub plant for porch or lawn. Should be wintered in the cellar or greenhouse. Seed, 15c per packet. Plants, 30c each, postpaid.

#### LOBELIA

sapphire. A beautiful trailing plant of strong growth; a mass of unusually large sapphire-blue flowers with a beautiful white eye; never out of flower. A most desirable pot and basket plant. Pkt., 15c. Plants, 25c each, postpaid.

HYBRIDS. Delicate blue and white flowers. Pkt., 8c each, post-

paid.

Monkey Flower

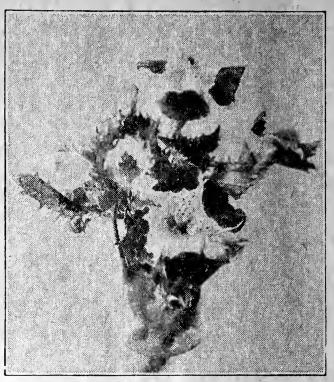
(Mimulus Tigrinus). Tender, little, half-hardy perennial which does best as a house plant. Oddly shaped flowers of yellow, red, pink, and orange, all tigered and spotted. Named Monkey Flower from the resemblance of the corolla to a mask or face. Blooms the first season if seed is sown early. A very attractive plant. Will do well planted out in a moist shady situation. Pkt., 10c.

#### Musk Plant

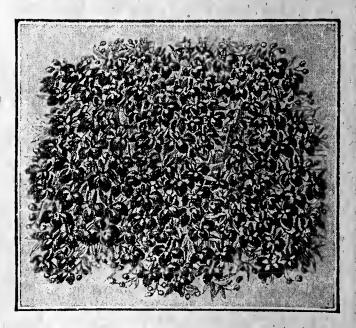
(Mimulus Moschatus). The musk scented foliage of this variety perfumes the spot where it is grown. Chiefly a foliage plant but it bears numerous small pale yellow tubular flowers. Pkt., 10c.



Oleander



Monkey Flower



Lobelia Sapphire (25c Each)

#### Passion Flower

A handsome climber, grows rapidly and produces a profusion of fragrant pink, blue and white flowers. The peculiar structure of the flower has long been of great interest to botanists and many curious stories have been woven about it. Hardy as far north as Washington, D. C. Farther north they should be grown as pot plants on trellises, during the winter, and outside during the summer. Pkt., 20c. Plants, 30c each, postpaid.

#### Oxalis Golden Star

(Ortgiesi). A branching plant; grows 12 to 18 inches high (not a bulb). Clusters of bright golden star-shaped flowers are freely produced. Plants, 40c each, postpaid.

#### Oleander

No plant makes a more handsome specimen for tub, pot or box culture for the house, veranda or yard. Large, double blossoms, as pretty and as fragrant as a rose. We can supply seed in mixture of colors only. Pkt., 15c. We can supply plants in separate colors, Red, White, Pink, Salmon and Yellow, at 25c each, postpaid.

#### Variegated-Leaved Oleander

Leaves bordered creamy white. Double pink flowers. Very attractive. Plants, 35c each, post-paid.

#### Philippine Copper Plant

(Acalypha Tricolor). A most distinctive and valuable bedding or pot plant. Large, beautiful, coppercolored foliage, with blotches of crimson-bronze. Highly tri-colored and of tropical appearance. Easily grown. Plants, 25c each, postpaid.

PRIMROSE (Obconica Grandiflora)

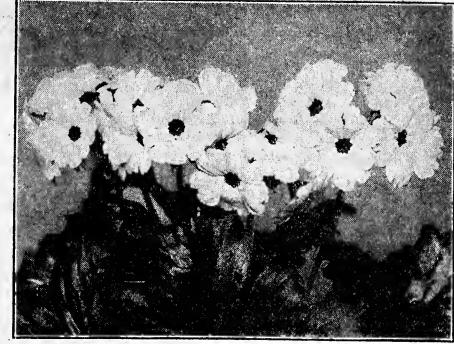
One of the finest and most important winter blooming pot plants. Can be easily grown in any light window, flowering abundantly and continuously, bearing immense trusses of large flowers in choice assortment of colors, from pure white and soft pink through the different shades of rose and red to the brightest crimson. Pkt., 25c. Plants in separate colors—Red, Pink, White—at 25c each, post-paid.

Giant Fan-Leaved Palm

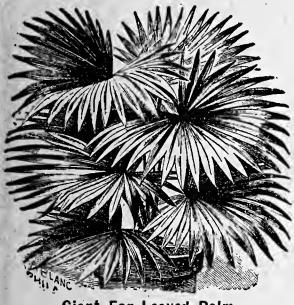
The finest of all Palms, and easily grown from seed. Elegant fanshaped leaves of a rich, dark green; beautifully fringed with long, thread-like filaments along the segments of the leaves. The plant is a compact grower, well adapted to pot culture, and succeeds in any situation. Needs no petting; stands dust and dry air; lack of sunshine does not bother it. Seed, 25c per packet. One-year plants ready to develop fan-shaped leaves, 50c each, postpaid.

#### Kentia Palm

The most popular of all Palms, because it will withstand more neglect than most varieties. Like the above variety it will stand dust, dry air and lack of sunshine. Graceful, curving leaves; bright green foliage. As a decorative plant for the window, dinner table or conservatory, it has few equals. One-year plants, 50c each, post-paid.



Primrose Obconica Grandiflora (25c Each)



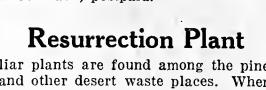
Giant Fan-Leaved Palm (50c Each)

#### Philodendron Cordata

A popular tropical vine used for hanging baskets and vases or as a window vine. Large glossy pear-shaped leaves. One of the few vines that will succeed without full light. Plants, 40c each, postpaid.

RUBBER PLANT (Ficus Elastica). Dark green, shiny foliage. One of the most satisfactory house plants. Being of tropical nature, the plant is at its best under moist conditions and high temperature. 80c each, postpaid.

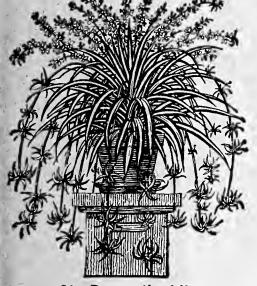
ROYAL PURPLE PLANT Universally popular on account of its brilliant and exquisite coloring. Surpasses the finest Coleus or Begonia in the color of its leaves. 30c each, postpaid.



These peculiar plants are found among the pines and cedars of Palestine and other desert waste places. When you get the plant it will have the appearance of a ball of tightly folded leaflets, dry and dead. Put it in water and it will open up its handsome fern-like foliage and turn green. Take it out of the water and it curls up, turns brown and becomes dead again. It is capable of apparently dying and coming to life again repeatedly, and will keep in its dead or dormant state for years and reawaken directly upon being placed in water. It is an interesting, curious and most beautiful house plant. If you want a "table fern" that will prove satisfactory under all conditions, don't fail to get one of these marvels of plant life. Greatly admired by everyone. 10c each; 3 for 25c.



Royal Purple Plant



St. Bernard's Lily (25c Each)

# St. Bernard's Lily (Anthericum)

Recurved, graceful foliage which makes a handsome pot plant; also useful for vases. Leaves are dark green, beautifully marked with broad stripes and bands of a creamy-white color. Bears large spikes of white flowers. Pkt., 25c. Plants, 25c each, postpaid.



Resurrection Plant (10c Each)

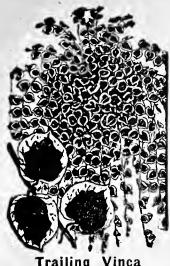
Burgess House Plants are Guaranteed to Reach You in Good Growing Condition



#### FAIRY OR BABY ROSE

#### Roses from Seed the First Year

One of the most unique and novel pot flowers grown. The only genuine dwarf house Rose, blooming in three to five months after sowing the seed, giving about equal proportions of single, semi-double and double flowers, borne in clusters and contain all the tints and colors of cultivated Roses. Plants from seed sown in February in the house may be had in bloom in June, and should bloom continuously month after month. Seed in mixture of colors only. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c, Plants in separate colors—Red, Pink, White—at 35c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid.



(25c Each)

#### SILK OAK OR AUSTRALIAN SILK TREE

A magnificent plant for decorative purposes. Grows rapidly from seed and is pretty in all stages of growth. Long, drooping, silky foliage. Excellent for fern dish use. In California and Florida it grows into an ornamental tree and has bright, orange-colored flowers. A fine pot plant for the house, where it grows from one to five feet, depending upon size of pot in which it is grown. Pkt., 10c. Plants, 30c each, postpaid.

SHOO-FLY PLANT It is said that flies will not stay in a room where it is grown if they can conveniently escape. What there is about it that repulses them is not clear, as the plants and flowers have no odor. It is a beautiful flowering plant, and blooms in a short time (60 days) from seed. It is a profuse bloomer in pots both summer and winter, the blossoms being large, cup-shaped and of a lovely light blue color with white center. Pkt., 10c.

One of the most desirable and graceful window vines. The slender\_stems are covered with small, glossy, green leaves. A fine plant for hanging baskets or window boxes. Used extensively for bouquets and floral decorations. Pkt., 8c. Plants, 25c each, postpaid.

#### SNAKE PLANT

(Sanseveria.) A most striking decorative foliage plant. Very odd, beautiful and easily grown. No other house plant stands as much downright neglect and hardship. Nothing but frost or continued drenching with water seems to hurt it. It will stand gas and dust and will go for months without a drop of water. Plants, 30c each, postpaid.

GOLDEN STRIPED SNAKE PLANT (Sanseveria Laurenti). This new variety has all the good qualities and habits of the above and in addition has a band of creamy yellow on the outer edges of the leaves. Plants, 75c each, postpaid.



Snake Plant (Sanseveria)

#### STAPELIA OR JEWEL FLOWER A branching succulent plant from

Africa, somewhat resembling a Cactus. Produces grotesque star-shaped flowers nearly two inches across, spotted yellow and brown. A very attractive plant and a great curiosity. Plants, 35c each, postpaid.

#### Vinca or Periwinkle

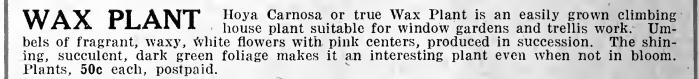
ROSEA. Ornamental free-blooming plants, with dark, glossy, laurel-like foliage and handsome pink and white flowers. One of the most satisfactory and long-flowering bedding plants we have.

They can be taken up in the fall like Chrysanthemums, potted, and kept in bloom through the winter. Pink. Pkt., 8c. White. Pkt., 8c. Mixed Colors. Pkt., 8c.

TRAILING VARIEGATED PERIWINKLE. A beautiful variegated trailing vine, admirably adapted for hanging baskets and vases. The leaves are a glossy green, broadly margined a creamy white; flowers blue. No seed. Plants, 25c each, postpaid.

Too well known to require description. Will grow in either WANDERING JEW (green and white) or multicolor (green and purple). Plants, 25c each; 6 for \$1.00, postpaid.

A beautiful water plant for the house, forming a lovely rosette of shining green leaves and throwing up WATER HYACINTH spikes of exquisite lilac-rose flowers resembling Hyacinth blooms. The most beautiful effect is produced by using a glass vessel of some sort with shells and white sand so arranged as to conceal the small amount of soil used. It is a most useful plant for aquariums and outdoor pools, as fish will not thrive unless enough plants are growing to furnish them with oxygen. To do this there should be not less than one plant to every two gallons of water. Plants, 35c each, postpaid.



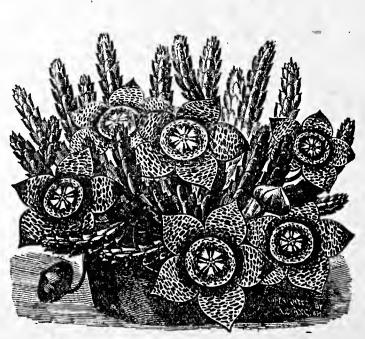
WEATHER PLANT (Abrus Precatorius). A beautiful house plant which climbs to a height of about 7 feet. Light purple flowers, followed by pods with brilliant red seeds which are used for beads. If the leaves stand upright the weather will be fine. If they stand out straight, changeable weather is expected, and the leaves droop or "go to sleep" during a storm. Pkt., 10c.



Water Hyacinth (35c Each)



Wandering Jew (25c Each)



Stapelia or Jewel Flower (35c Each)



Silk Oak Tree (25c Each)

## BULBS For Outdoor Spring Planting and Indoor Winter Planting

Everyone succeeds in growing flowers from bulbs, and with very little care excellent results may be obtained. The hardy bulbs, when once planted, will live outdoors for years without being disturbed. The most of the tender varieties, if taken up and given a period of rest, may be re-planted each year and, handled in this way, the previous year's display will be repeated. A good supply of bulbs may be obtained at very little expense. Directions for planting go with each order for bulbs.

Burgess' Bulbs Are Guaranteed to Grow and We Will Replace, Without Charge, Any That Fail



Amaryllis Equestre (30c Each)

#### Apios Tuberosa

HARDY TUBEROUS-ROOTED WISTARIA A valuable and desirable tuberous-rooted twiner, resembling Wistaria in form of leaf and flower, but smaller. Grows to a height of 8 to 10 feet. Dies to the ground each winter, but the tuberous root is perfectly hardy. The numerous clusters of deep purple, pea-shaped blossoms have a strong, delicious violet fragrance. A valuable vine for trellis or rock work. Plant two or three bulbs near together to produce a mass of vines and near together to produce a mass of vines and flowers. 15c each; 3 for 40c; 6 for 75c, postpaid.

#### Tuberous-Rooted Begonias

This charming class of Begonia is perhaps the most handsome of all summer-flowering tuberousrooted plants, and deserves even greater popularity. Fine for pot plants and for planting outside in a semi-shady location. Their culture is of the simplest, and with the least regard for their magniferance that will represent the samplest. requirements they will repay with an abundance and brilliancy of bloom not equaled by any other class of plants. All Begonias we offer are blooming size

ing size.

TUBEROUS-ROOTED BEDDING BEGONIAS, Double. Started in pots and later planted outside they make fine bedding plants. A fine assortment of colors including plants. In mixture of colors only. 35c each; 3 for 85c; 6 for \$1.60; 12 for \$3.00, postpaid.
TUBEROUS-ROOTED BEDDING BEGONIAS, Single. A choice assortment; crim-

son, scarlet, salmon, pink, and white. In mixture only. 30c each; 3 for 80c; 6 for \$1.50; 12 for \$2.75, postpaid.

TUBEROUS-ROOTED HANGING BASKET BEGONIAS, Double. Particularly

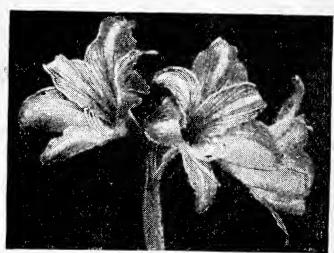
suited for growing in hanging baskets, window boxes and other places requiring plants of trailing habit. A mixture containing the same fine assortment of colors listed in the bedding type. 35c each; 3 for 90c; 6 for \$1.65; 12 for \$3.10, postpaid.

TUBEROUS-ROOTED HANGING BASKET BEGONIAS, Single. A fine mixture

of the same colors as in the double. 30c each; 3 for 80c; 6 for \$1.50; 12 for \$2.75, postpaid.

#### AMARYLLIS, Equestre

Often called Barbados or Gloriosa Lily. Brilliant salmon-red flower with a green and white throat. Flowers 4 to 5 inches across, and 2 to 4 flowers on a stem. Makes a fine pot plant and is valuable for outside planting in the South, where it propagates freely. Blooming size bulbs, 30c each; 3 for 85c; 6 for \$1.60; 12 for \$3.00.



Giant Hybrid Amaryllis

# AMARYLLIS, New Giant Hybrids

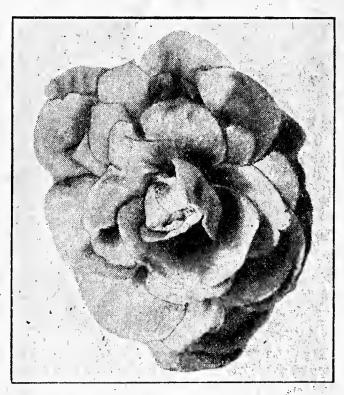
There is nothing that will give the amateur greater pleasure for the window garden than these giant-flowering Amarylis. The strain we offer is the finest that has ever been produced; strong bulbs, throwing vigorous stems with from four to six giant blooms of the most perfect form, ranging in color from almost pure white, through various shades of pink and rose, to the brightest scarlet and the deepest crimson, some with heautiful markings and mottled throats. and the deepest crimson, some with beautiful markings and mottled throats. Large, blooming size bulbs, in mixture of colors, 65c each; 3 for \$1.75; 6 for \$3.25; 12 for \$6.00, postpaid.



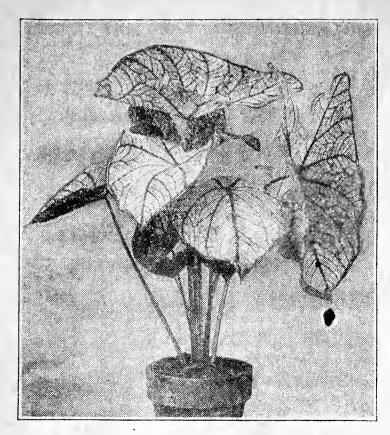
Crinum

#### CRINUM

A fine bulbous plant which produces flowers of great beauty. Usually two flower stalks are sent up at the same time, each bearing a large cluster of lily-like, fragrant blooms. The flowers are enormous in size; color, white with a lavender-pink or reddishpurple stripe through the center of each petal. Succeeds in pot or open ground. It is not hardy, so bulbs should not be left out-doors through the winter. 75c each, 3 for **\$2.00**, postpaid.



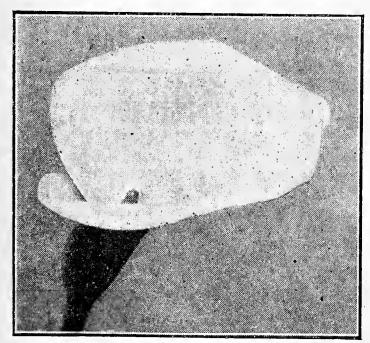
Tuberous-Rooted Begonia (35c Each)



Fancy Leaved Caladiums

#### Elephant Ears

The Elephant Ear is a well known large green leaved variety of Caladium which is planted for ornamental purposes. We recommend combining the ornamental with the practical by planting the Dasheen, which is an edible-tubered variety of Caladium and has very much the same appearance as the common Elephant Ear. See page 17 for complete description. 15c each; 3 for 40c; 6 for 75c; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.



Calla Aethiopica (30c Each)

#### Callas

BLACK CALLA (Pictum). Flowers deep purple, almost black. An interesting novelty that will attract much attention. Blooming size bulbs, 45c each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.

YELLOW CALLA (Elliottiana). Beautiful pure golden yellow flowers, 4 to 5 inches broad. The leaves are attractively marked with white spots. Easily grown. Blooming size bulbs, 30c each; 3 for 85c, postpaid.

WHITE CALLA (Aethiopica). Our stock of

seeds and bulbs are an exceptionally fine strain of the old White Calla, and much superior to the newer sorts. Flowers are pure white, unusually large, held high, and on stiff stems. Pkt., 10c. Blooming size bulbs, 30c each; 3 for 85c, postpaid.

Pink and Yellow Callas can be shipped from January 1st to June 1st; White Callas from October 1st to June 1st; and Black Callas during the months of August, September and October only.

# Chinese Cinnamon Vine

The Cinnamon Vine is one of the most satisfactory climbers. Its handsome foliage and fragrant, cinnamon-scented blossoms commend it to every lover of flowers. It is tuberous-rooted and, once planted, will grow a lifetime. It is perfectly hardy, thrives on all soils, in sun or shade, wet or dry. No insects or blight ever trouble. Will quickly surround your windows, arbors and

porches with a mass of vines, and profusion of small white flowers.

While the Cinnamon Vine is grown mainly for its beauty and fragrant blossoms, the tubers are edible, being most delicious when baked like Sweet

Potatoes.

For windows, plant two on each side. For porches, walks, etc., plant 8 inches or a foot apart, covering 2 inches. Furnish twine support for the vines. Choice tubers, 15c each; 2 for 25c; 6 for 60c; 12 for \$1.00; 30 for \$2.00, postpaid.

Fancy Leaved Caladiums

No other foliage plant equals the Fancy Leaved Caladium in rich and gorgeous, yet soft coloring. Wherever high-class decorations are required, these plants are indispensable. When grown in pots, they may be used in the conservatory or the house with equal satisfaction. For table decorations, for window boxes, for jardinieres, and for enlivening groups of palms or ferns, they are quite as desirable for hadding recovery. window boxes, for jardinieres, and for enlivening groups of palms or ferns, they are most serviceable. They are quite as desirable for bedding purposes, and do their best in a shady or semi-shady position. Their beautifully shaped foliage is elegantly variegated in the most telling manner with delicate but vivid colors. Some are ivory white, light green, crimson and pink stripes, dark olive green, pink centers, silver spots, some veined with deep crimson. Unlike most varieties of plants, which are at their best only when in bloom, the Fancy Leaved Caladiums are always beautiful. No plant in bloom could attract more attention than the foliage of our Caladiums. Our collection is made up of many different varieties, all choice kinds and extra select bulbs. Full cultural directions with every order. 35c each; 3 for 90c; 12 for \$2.90, postpaid. postpaid.

#### Colchicum

The Wonder of the Floral Kingdom. Requires No Soil, No Water, No Care.

Beautiful rosy tinted blossoms, 2 to 3 inches in diameter. Through Nature's own process, Colchicum bulbs store within themselves all the fertility, water, etc., they require to bloom. Simply place the bulb in a dish or on the table or window sill and watch its beauty unfold. The blooms keep in good condition about two weeks, and when they wilt, cut them off and others will follow, each bulb producing from 6 to 15 flowers. When the blooming has ceased in the early fall, the bulbs may be planted in the open garden or lawn, where, each fall they will bloom in great profusion, or if you prefer you can remove the bulbs from the ground about July first, dry them in darkness for a few weeks, and use for indoor decoration as at first. Orders for Colchicum bulbs cannot be filled before August, but you should place your order as soon as possible, as our supply is limited. Choice bulbs, 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; 7 for \$2.00, postpaid. Seed 25c per pkt.

#### **GLOXINIA**

HYBRIDA GRANDIFLORA. The finest strain of Gloxinia; magnificent flowers of the richest colors, containing the spotted hybrids as well as the finest self-colored sorts.

Seed, 25c per pkt.
Bulbs which will bloom in 6 or 8 weeks from time they are planted, 35c each, 3 for 85c; 12 for \$2.95, postpaid. Separate colors—White, Purple, Scarlet—40c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid.

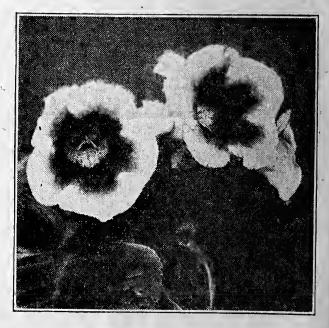
#### Pink Calla

A magnificent Calla with beautiful bright pink flowers. One of the most exquisite flowering plants we have ever seen. Will grow and bloom freely in pots like the common white Calla. Marvels of beauty; sweet scented. Fine blooming size bulbs, \$1.00 each, postpaid.

BLOOMING SIZE



Colchicum



Gloxinia (40c Each)

## Fairy Lilies (Zephyranthes)

One of the prettiest and most easily grown bulbs; white and rose colored flowers, similar to the Amaryllis, but of miniature growth. For an effective display, the best way is to plant several bulbs in a box or flower pot. They can also be planted in the open ground in the spring, where they flower in great profusion during the summer; suitable for the rock garden. Bulbs should be taken up in the fall and treated the same as Gladiolus.

White. Pure white. 10c each; 3 for 25c; 12 for 80c; 25 for \$1.50, postpaid. Rose. Large flowers of a clear rose color. 15c each; 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.25, postpaid.

Yellow. Flowers coppery yellow, striped with purple outside. 20c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.25, postpaid.

#### Madeira Vine, or Climbing Mignonette

Giant Hyacinth

(Hyacinthus Candicans or Galtonia). A species of Hyacinth. Blooms late in summer. Huge spikes

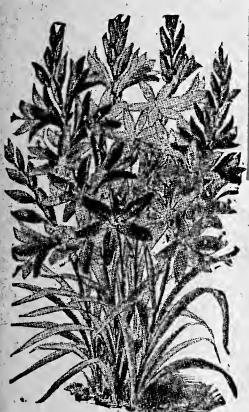
of pure white flowers on stems 3 to 5 feet high. Blooming size bulbs, 20c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for

\$1.50, postpaid.

A popular climber with thick, waxy, green, heart-shaped leaves, and numerous racemes of feathery white flowers of delicious fragrance. Grown from tubers, which may be taken up in the fall and stored like potatoes. Easily grown; will thrive in any soil or location; and will grow rapidly, covering a large space in a short time. One of the best vines for planting thickly along the front edge of a porch or window for quick effect. Also makes a fine rapid growing house plant when trained in a sunny window indoors. Tubers, 15c each; 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.00; 25 for \$1.75, postpaid.

#### Ismene Calathina or Peruvian Daffodil

A grand summer flowering bulb, producing with great freedom large Amaryllis-like, pure white, fragrant blossoms. Keep the bulbs in a dry, warm place, and plant out in June. Bulbs can be taken up in October, and after a few weeks' rest, potted and flowered in the house in the winter or kept over for planting out another season. Easily grown. 20c each; 3 for 50c; 6 for 90c; 12 for \$1.75, postpaid.



Montbretias

Ismene Calathina

**Tigridia** 

#### Montbretias

The Montbretia is one of the most floriferous and showy of summer flowering bulbous plants, producing in great numbers, graceful spikes 8 to 12 inches in length, each spike bearing from 18 to 30 exceedingly beautiful star-shaped flowers, 1½ to 2 inches across. These beautiful flowering bulbs are very popular for clumping among perennials and shrubbery, are easily grown and add much to any flower garden. They are also highly valued as cut-flowers and can be grown in flower-pots in the house. Montbretias are quite hardy and should be planted early in the spring, preferably in a warm, sunny location. They should be protected during the winter with a heavy covering of leaves, or can be taken up each fall and stored the same as Gladiolus bulbs. Our mixture contains many bright shades of yellow, salmon, orange and scarlet. Special Mixed, 15c each; 3 for 30c; 6 for 50c; 12 for 90c; 25 for \$1.65; 100 for \$6.00, postpaid.

#### **Excelsior Pearl Tuberose**

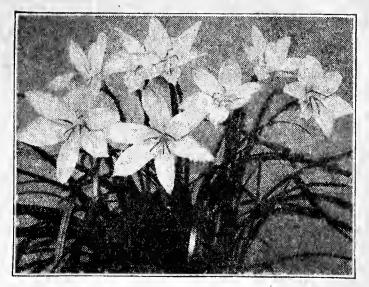
The finest double Tuberose, and one of the most beautiful of the late summer flowering bulbs. Spikes and blooms enormous in size and very double and fragrant. 10c each; 3 for 20c; 12 for 70c; 25 for \$1.25, postpaid.

### Early Flowering Tuberose

A beautiful variety that can be planted as soon as danger of frost is over, and will bloom four to six weeks earlier than other Tuberoses. The flowers are on long stems, ten to twenty blossoms to each stalk; snowy white, star-like petals, thick, wax-like, filling their surroundings with the sweetest fragrance. 15c each; 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.00; 25 for \$1.75, postpaid.

#### TIGRIDIA (Tiger or Shell Flower)

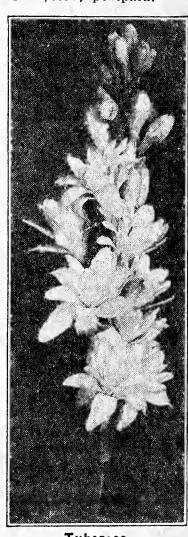
Showy, bulbous plants suitable for the mixed border, growing about 18 inches high, bearing erect spikes of large attractive flowers with oddly blotched cupshaped centers. Few flowers are more gorgeously colored or so beautiful. Bloom from middle of July to September. The bulbs are edible. When plain boiled and seasoned they have a delicious, nutty flavor, as palatable as a potato. They are easily grown and keep better than potatoes. The Tigridia should be extensively grown in vegetable and flower gardens everywhere. Bulbs are planted and handled the same as Gladiolus. Separate colors, Red, Rose or Yellow, 25c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$2.35; 25 for \$4.00. Mixture of colors, 20c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.00, postpaid.



Fairy Lilies

#### Oxalis Bulbs

Fine for borders, pot culture, hanging baskets, vases, etc. Beautiful green foliage; white, pink and red blossoms, your choice of colors. 5c each; 6 for 15c; 12 for 25c; 25 for 45c; 100 for \$1.50, postpaid.



Blossoms 3 Feet Long—Stems 7 Feet High



The Sacred Lily of India blooms without earth or moisture, in the winter time, and attains its maximum development in about 30 days, sometimes to the remarkable height of 90 inches with a calla-like shaped lily 14 inches in diameter at opening with an enormous spadix 36 inches long. The stem is green and mottled with white spots. The lily has a combination of red colors, and blooms about two weeks each year after bulb is 4 years old. It has no foliage while in bloom.

#### An Ornamental Plant

The Sacred Lily of India (Amorphophallus Rivieri) produces a very attractive palm-like appearing plant. During the summer the stem is straight and slender, green in color mottled with white spots; the leaves are green, small in size with a lace edging. The plant makes a beautiful and rare addition to any home or garden; they grow any place in the sun or shade. A four-year-old bulb grows a plant about 4 to 5 feet tall. It makes this growth in about 30 days after coming out of ground.

#### Culture

To produce the flower put a 4-year or older bulb in a warm place, any time after the middle of January, and it will start to grow. After it has bloomed, store again in cool place. Plant in April or May, in loose fertile earth, cover over the top 3 to 6 inches according to the size of bulb and loosen earth 12 to 18 inches around bulb for root growth. Keep moist in dry weather. After the first frost in the fall the bulbs and their

offshoots are taken from the ground to keep from freezing. Dry, and store in a cool place.

The offshoots are planted separately the next spring for additional bulbs. All the bulbs produce foliage each year but do not bloom until the fourth year.

Merchants can attract considerable attention by displaying some of these bulbs in bloom in their show windows.

Prices of these bulbs have been greatly reduced this year. We have never before sold 4-year-old bulbs for less than \$10.00 each.

Prices: One year old bulb, 75c; 2 yr. old bulb, \$1.50; 3 yr. old bulb, \$2.00; 4 yr. old bulb, \$5.00, postpaid.



Sacred Lily of India Plant

Hungaria Canna

CANNA SEED Fine mixture of varieties. Will bloom the first year from seed if planted early. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.

# Burgess' Gorgeous

The Canna is the grandest of all bedding plants. Being of quick growth, and having a tropical appearance, make them popular in all sections of the country. They will thrive anywhere if our simple growing instructions are followed. These instructions will be inclosed with each order of Cannas.

Select the varieties you want at 20c each; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.85; 25 for \$3.50; or 100 for \$10.00, postpaid.

#### Green Leaved Varieties

CITY OF PORTLAND. Glowing shade of pink; immense trusses. 3½ feet. EUREKA. Best white Canna; large, clear, waxy, creamy-white flowers. 4 feet. HUNGARIA. Magnificent flowers of purest rose-pink with satiny sheen. 3 feet. MME. CROZY. Large, brilliant scarlet flowers bordered golden yellow.

attractive. 3½ feet.

MRS. A. F. CONARD. Large salmon-pink flowers in immense clusters. 4 feet.

RICHARD WALLACE. Pure canary-yellow trusses. A strong grower and one of

the largest flowered yellows. 4½ feet.

THE PRESIDENT. Rich, glowing, cardinal scarlet blossoms of mammoth size.

One of the most gorgeous Cannas. 5 feet.

WINTZER'S COLOSSAL. Brilliant scarlet. This variety has the reputation of producing the largest flowers of all Cannas. 5 feet.

YELLOW KING HUMBERT. Deep, rich yellow with crimson dots. 5 feet.

#### Cannas With Colored Foliage

KING HUMBERT. Massive heads of orange-scarlet, orchid-like flowers measuring 6 to 8 inches across. Large heart-shaped leaves of purple-madder-brown over bronze. 5 feet.

SHENANDOAH. Large trusses of rose-pink flowers and ruby-red foliage. 31/2 feet. WYOMING. Immense spikes of orange flowers with purplish-bronze foliage. 6 feet.

#### **Bargain Prices on Cannas**

All varieties of Cannas, correctly labeled as to variety, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.85; 25 for \$3.50; 100 for \$10.00, postpaid.

Assorted colors, our selection, unlabeled, \$1.50 per dozen, postpaid.

#### Congratulates Us on Large Live Bulbs

Mrs. R. C. Blodgett, Bristol, Vt., wrote us on April 4th, 1933, as follows: "Regarding the Cannas sent us, I wish to congratulate you on the quality of the goods sent. They sure are fine stuff, large live bulbs and I am sure that they will

CIRCULAR CANNA BEDS 2nd 3rd 4th Total 1st Diam. Center Row Row Row Row Plants 4 ft. 5 6 6 ft. 4 9 13 8 ft. 7 1 14 22 10 ft. 18 1 5 12 36 15 15 12 ft. 3 9 21 48 15 ft. 28 21 76

PLANTING TABLE FOR

# Hardy Lilies GUARANTEED TO GROW

Lilies are of the easiest culture, comparatively free from insect pests, and need no dusting or spraying with poisons. The varieties listed below are all hardy, and will increase in beauty and size with each succeeding year. Directions for planting sent with all Lily bulbs.

REGAL LILY (Myriophyllum). One of the most beautiful of all Lilies. The flowers are white, slightly suffused with pink; with a beautiful glow of canary yellow at center, which continues part way up the trumpet. They are borne in clusters and measure 4 to 6 inches in length, and are nearly as broad. Delightfully perfumed, reminding one of the Jasmine. In the garden it blooms profusely during July, continuing its glorious display well into August. One of the hardiest and finest outdoor Lilies. 3 to 5 feet. 25c each; 3 for 70c; 12 for \$2.25, postpaid. Seed, 15c per packet.

coral Lily (Tenuifolium). A most attractive Lily for rock gardens or in the foreground of the herbaceous border, attaining a height of 18 inches to 2 feet. Bears large heads of pendulous, waxen, deep scarlet flowers on wiry stems. This Lily attracts an unusual amount of attention for its daintiness and brilliancy. Probably the brightest in color of all Lilies. Easily grown and permanent. 35c each; 3 for 90c; 12 for \$3.00, postpaid. Seed, 25c per packet.

GOLD BANDED LILY OF JAPAN (Auratum). Immense, fragrant flowers, measuring nearly a foot in width when fully expanded, are produced in great profusion from July to September. Broad petals, gracefully recurved. White, thickly studded with crimson-maroon spots, with a wide gold band down the center of each petal. 3 to 6 feet. A woman in Iowa writes that she had 75 blooms on one stalk and the stalk was 6 feet high. 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.25, postpaid.

RED BANDED LILY (Speciosum Rubrum). No words can overstate the brilliant beauty of this famous Japanese Lily. Large, rosy-white flowers, thickly dotted with crimson spots. One of the best for garden culture. 2 to 4 feet. August and September. 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.25, postpaid.

FIREFLAME (Elegans). For a gorgeous display of rich coloring, very few flowers equal this improved type of Lilium Elegans. The brightest and most brilliant of all the orange-scarlet Lilies; 1½ to 2 feet; bloom during June and July; large

erect flowers. An always dependable hardy Lily. 30c each; 3 for 85c; 12 for \$2.75, postpaid.

EASTER LILY (Longiflorum). The most reliable of the Easter Lilies for growing indoors in pots, and the most popular. Large pure white fragrant flowers borne 3 to 12 on a plant. Easily grown; hardy outside with protection and may be planted in the garden after it is through flowering inside. 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.25, postpaid.

GIANT TIGER LILY. A grand Lily with large pyramids of orangered flowers spotted with purplish black. August and September. 4 to 5 feet. One of the hardiest and most easily grown. 25c each; 3 for 70c; 12 for \$2.25, postpaid.

pouble Tiger Lily. A double form of the popular Tiger Lily. Flowers are borne in large clusters during August and September. Your

during August and September. Very hardy, permanent, easily grown and exceedingly beautiful. 30c each; 3 for 85c; 12 for \$2.75, postpaid.

PHILIPPINENSE FORMOSANUM. See page 63 for description. 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.25, postpaid.

MADONNA LILY (Candidum). A very popular Lily growing 2 to 4 feet tall and bearing fine, large flowers in clusters from 3 to 20 at the top of each stem. The blooms are waxy white and have yellow anthers. The individual blooms are 3 to 4 inches long and fully as wide. They have a delightful fragrance. It is of easy cultivation and does well in any soil or location, lasting almost indefinitely. Blooms during June and July. 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.25, postpaid.

Note: Madonna Lilies are planted in the fall only. Order now and bulbs will be delivered next September. All other varieties are delivered in the spring.

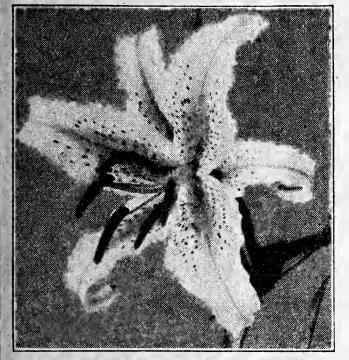


GOLDEN LILY (Hemerocallis Fulva). 2 to 3 ft. June-July. Rich orange-red with mahogany shadings. 20c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.60, postpaid.

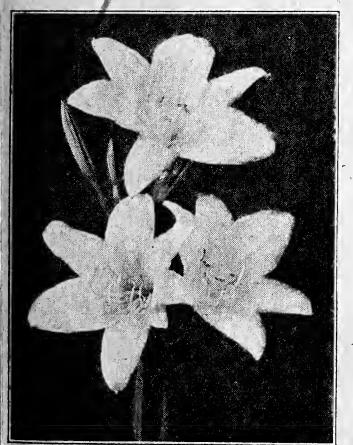
LEMON LILY (Hemerocallis Flava). 3 ft. June. Beautiful lemon-yellow flowers, 3 to 4 inches in diameter, and delightfully fragrant. A fine cut flower. 25c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$2.00, postpaid.

DWARF LEMON LILY (Hemerocallis Middendorfii). 18 inches. May. The earliest Lemon Lily. Blossoms 2 to 3 inches in diameter. Fine for borders and rock gardens. 25c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$2.00, postpaid.

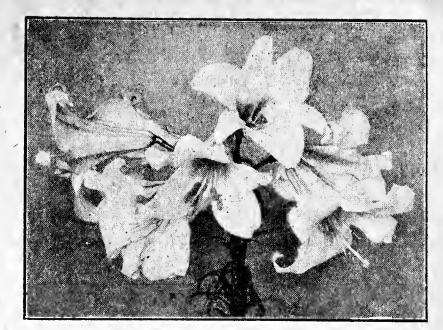
BLUE and WHITE PLANTAIN LILIES. See Funkia or Japanese Day Lilies, page 61.



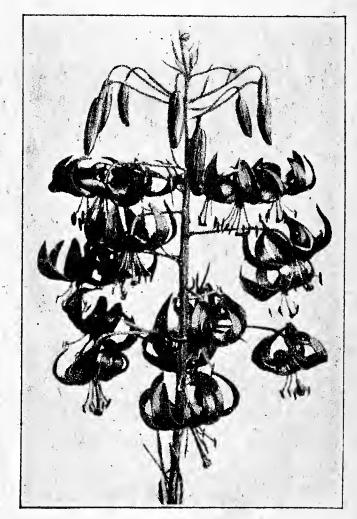
Gold Banded Lily (35c Each)



Dwarf Lemon Lily (25c Each)



Regal Lily (25c Each)



Coral Lily (35c Each)

GLADIOLUS

The Gladiolus is the most attractive and useful of cut flowers of all the summer flowering bulbs. The long, graceful spikes, that carry fifteen to twenty buds, may be cut as soon as the first lower buds show color; then kept in water, each successive bud will develop and thus prolong the blooming many days.

The planting season starts in April and continues until in June. By a succession of plantings at intervals of two weeks, you will have flowers from late July until frost time.

Our present list gives you the very cream of quality.

#### Large Bulbs 6c Small Bulbs 4c

Select the bulbs you want from the following varieties:

Large bulbs at 6c each; 12 for 60c; 25 for \$1.00; 100 for \$3.50, postpaid.

Smaller bulbs, but all blooming size, at 4c each; 12 for 35c; 25 for 60c; 100 for \$2.00, postpaid.

BATTLE CREEK. Deep violet self-color with slightly darker throat.

**BUMBLEBEE.** Massive spikes of salmon-rose. Scarlet penciling at throat.

CHATEAU THIERRY. Bright scarlet-red; carmine stripe on creamy ground on lower petals. A fine variety.

CRIMSON GLOW. Deep scarlet red with lighter throat. Large.

FLAMING SWORD. Earliest of all reds. Very brilliant and showy, with several blooms open at one time.

GLORIANA. Golden-salmon with pure yellow throat.

GLORY OF TEUCH. Attractive all yellow flowers with deeper throat.

**GOSHEN.** Deep silvery-rose with large rose-red blotches.

LUSTRE. Tall, large flowered, orange-vermilion. A grand flower.

MARY PICKFORD. An extraordinary flower of delicate creamy white with a throat of softest sulphur yellow.

MRS. FRANK PENDELTON. Tall, majestic spikes of deep rose-pink blossoms bearing a giant blotch of richest, velvety carmine on lower petals.

MRS. GEORGE MOULTON. Violet-red with many

large flowers open at one time.

ORANGE GLOW. Tall showy spikes of orange-salmon flowers.

PEACE. Extra tall spikes of pure white bloom with pale lilac featherings on lower petals. Large blossoms. Late.

SCARLET PRINCEPS (Virginia). Deep scarlet with darker throat.

TYCKO ZANG. A beautiful shade of clear salmon-pink. An enormous flower and one of the best recent introductions.

#### Large Bulbs 10c Small Bulbs 7c

Select the bulbs you want from the following varieties:

Large bulbs at 10c each; 12 for \$1.00; 25 for \$1.75; 100 for \$6.00, postpaid.

Smaller bulbs, but all blooming size, at 7c each; 12 for 70c; 25 for \$1.20; 100 for \$4.00, postpaid.

ALBANIA. Large, glistening, pure white flowers. One of the best whites.

ANTHONY B. KUNDRED. Ruffled flowers of deep cream overspread

with blush pink. A prize winner at many shows.

DR. MOODY. Large flowers of light layender sometimes flaked

DR. MOODY. Large flowers of light lavender sometimes flaked darker lavender.

GOLDEN DREAM. Deep golden-yellow.

**PFITZERS TRIUMPH.** Amaryllis-like blooms of bright salmon. One of the largest and finest Gladiolus ever introduced.

VIOLET BEAUTY. Large cerise-violet blooms with big red throat blotches. Tall spikes and good in every way.

W. H. PHIPPS. Clear LaFrance pink overlaid salmon rose. Lower petals flecked with ruby. As many as 20 large, well-formed blooms. A true exhibition variety.



Low Prices

Gladiolus

#### New Giant Gladiolus

Mrs. Leon Douglas

The largest Gladiolus in existence; has taken first prizes in every show where exhibited. Color, begonia-rose striped with flame-scarlet. Lip is pale lemon speckled with ruby. The size of the individual flower is, we believe, the largest of any variety. The spikes are extra long and have up to as many as seven side spikes on each main spike. Large bulbs, 12c each; 6 for 60c; 12 for \$1.10; 25 for \$2.00; 100 for \$7.00, postpaid.

#### 45 Blossoms from One Bulb

"The Gladiolus bulbs I received from you were more than satisfactory. The Mrs. Leon Douglas sure was a prize winner as it stood 5 feet 2 inches high and the main stalk had 23 blooms and 2 side stalks each had 11 blooms. Sure was a monster." Eric W. Larson, Manistee, Mich., Aug. 27, 1932.

GLADIOLUS SEED Easily grown from seed. If planted early, some of the plants will bloom the first year. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.

#### New Gladiolus "The Orchid"

A distinctly new type of Gladiolus. Long, slender petals ruffled and frilled, opening to a width of 6 to 9 inches. Color pale lavender flecked with lavender-pink. The color and appearance of the flower suggests that of the Cattleya Orchid. Large bulbs, 12c each; 6 for 60c; 12 for \$1.10; 25 for \$2.00; 100 for \$7.00, postpaid.

#### Early Flowered Primulinus or Butterfly

The flowers of the Primulinus varieties are somewhat smaller than the Grandiflora type, but have a number of distinct advantages. The gracefulness of the spikes and placement of the individual flowers make them invaluable as cut flowers and for floral arrangement in places where the stiff stemmed sorts are out of place. They have colors not found in the larger flowered varieties, and bloom earlier.

ALICE TIPLADY. The best of the Primulinus Hybrids. A blending of salmon, apricot and orange.

ARLON. Large, wide petaled flowers of rich orange. Early.

BUTTER BOY. Beautiful buttercup-yellow.

JEWELL. Light salmon-pink with golden throat. Large flowers.

MAIDEN BLUSH. Exquisite flowers of delicate pink, shading lighter at the throat.

MING TOY. Large flowers of fine form. Deep buff with yellow throat.

PRICES Your choice of the above six Primulinus varieties at the following prices:

Large bulbs, 6c each; 12 for 60c; 25 for \$1.00; 100 for \$3.50, post-paid.

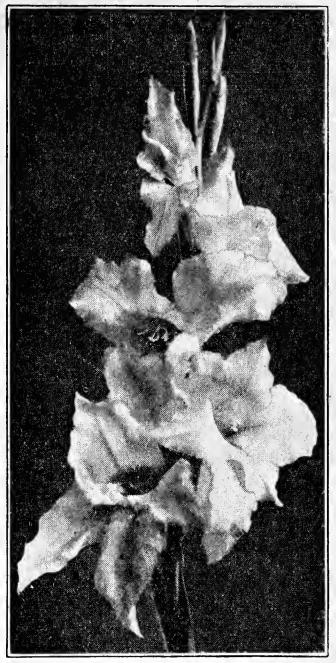
Smaller bulbs, but all blooming size, at 4c each; 12 for 35c; 25 for 60c; 100 for \$2.00, postpaid.

#### Choice Mixed Gladiolus at Bargain Prices

PRIZE MIXTURE
This collection is made up of select varieties, sure to give satisfaction. All fine bulbs, 1\(^1/4\) postpaid. By express, not prepaid, \$8.00 per 500; \$15.00 per 1,000.

BARGAIN MIXTURE Smaller bulbs than the Price Collection, but all blooming size. 12 for 30c; 50 for \$1.00; 100 for \$1.75, postpaid. By express not prepaid, \$6.50 per 500; \$12.00 per 1,000.

ECONOMY MIXTURE Smallest blooming size bulbs; nearly every one will bloom this season. 25 for 40c; 50 for 70c; 100 for \$1.25; 250 for \$2.75; 1,000 for \$10.00, postpaid.



The Orchid
(12c Each; 6 for 60c; 12 for \$1.10)

Dreer's White (Show)

#### CACTUS-FLOWERED DAHLIAS

BREAK O'DAY. Creamy-white with full high center, petals curved and twisted to the perfect cactus type.

COUNTESS OF LONSDALE. Delicate apricot shading to carmine-pink. Early and very free flowering.

J. H. JACKSON. Rich blackishmaroon. Very large flowers.

KALIF. A semi-cactus of rich strawberry-red. One of the largest of the reds and a good cut flower.

LAWINE. Pure white. True cactus type.

THE EAGLE. A magnificent yellow hybrid cactus. Large.

PRICES Take your choice of the above Cactus-Flowered Dahlias at 30c each; 3 for 75c; or 6 for \$1.25, postpaid.

#### SHOW DAHLIAS

A. D. LIVONI. Clear shell-pink; perfect form and free flowering. Early.

CUBAN QUEEN. Immense blossoms of purplish-maroon. An unusual color combination; most beautiful in the garden or vase. One of the largest of the Shows.

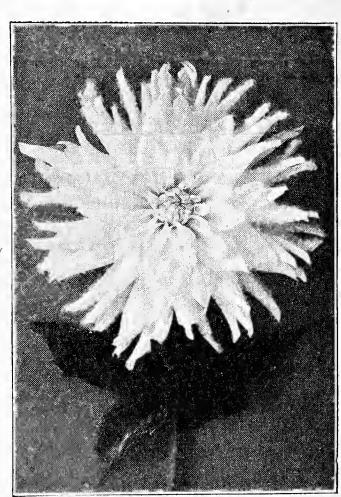
**DREER'S WHITE.** Perfectly quilled, pure white.

HELEN HOLLIS. Large blooms of brilliant scarlet. One of the most dependable of the Shows.

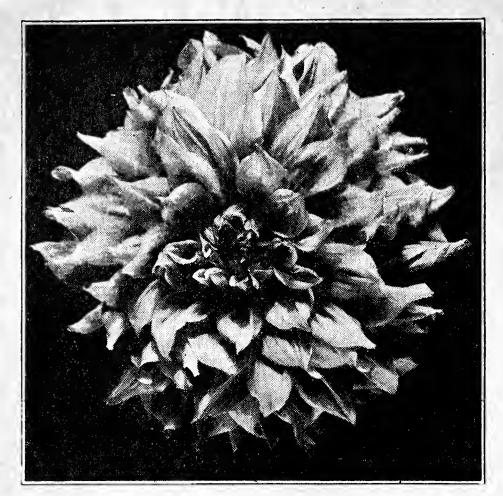
JOHN BOWMAN. Large golden yellow hybrid; long stems, compact, beautifully quilled; good keeper.

MAUDE ADAMS. White suffused clear pink; perfect flowers on good stems.

PRICES Take your choice of the above Show Dahlias at 30c each; 3 for 75c; or 6 for \$1.25, postpaid.



The Eagle (Hybrid-Cactus)



Kathleen Norris

## **Decorative Dahlias**

AZTEC GLORY. The immense shaggy blooms of pure golden yellow are held erect on strong stems. We consider it one of the best of the yellow Dahlias. Free flowering and of vigorous habit. Each, \$1.25.

BARBARA REDFERN. An attractive blending of gold, copper and old rose. Large blooms on good stems. Flowers early and blooms continuously. One of the best of the autumn shades.` Each, **50c.** 

BASHFUL GIANT. Gigantic bloom of apricot with golden shadings. One of the largest varieties ever produced, often reaching 10 to 12 inches. Where very large flowers are wanted for exhibition purposes this variety has "IT." Each, 45c.

BONNIE BRAE. Large flowers with broad, flat petals of cream, shaded peach-pink. A prolific bloomer. Each, 35c.

CITY OF TRENTON. Immense full centered flowers of rich tangerine with strawberry reverse. The petals are gracefully curled, showing both colors. Borne on stiff stems and a good keeper. Each, 75c.

CLEOPATRA. New introduction of unusual merit; of "dinner plate" size; thrifty, robust plant; very good stem. The color is deep rich cream with an old rose reverse, beautifully blended in contrast. Each, \$1.00.

DWIGHT W. MORROW. The enormous flowers of rich cardinal red make this variety one of the most spectacular Dahlias grown. A true exhibition variety and a healthy grower. Flowers 10 by 6 inches are easily attained. A prize winner that should be in every collection. Roots sold for \$10.00 each in 1932. Each, \$2.00.

#### Burgess' Exhibition Dahlia Collection

Never before have we seen an offer that will equal this. This assortment contains 8 roots (cach a different variety, unlabeled) taken from our surplus stock. All are large flowered exhibition varieties, many of them capable of producing blooms 10 to 12 inches in diameter. While the varieties are all of our choice, we feel certain that the selection will please the most critical buyer. This collection of 8 varieties, postpaid, for \$2.00.

#### Pompon or Miniature Show Dahlias

The Pompons are Dwarf Show Dahlias with small flowers and foliage. Flowers are perfect in form and are most handsome for

SNOWCLAD. Pure White......Each, 25c

#### Dahlias in Mixture of Colors

An assortment of Dahlias embracing all the types in a riot of colors, including many of the new ones and some of the best of the older kinds. These tubers are strong and vigorous and sure to bloom. This is your opportunity to secure Dahlias worth many times what they will cost at our bargain prices of 6 for \$1.00; 10 for \$1.50; 24 for \$3.00, postpaid.

EAGLE ROCK FANTASY. One of the best Dahlias in cultivation. Monster blooms of clear mallow-pink with broad petals artistically notched at the tips. Because of its great size and beauty this variety is bound to be a consistent winner at flower shows: Sold for \$15.00 in 1932. Each, \$2.00.

ELLINOR VANDIVEER. An incomparable dahlia. The large, glowing, satiny, rose-pink flowers are held well above the plant on long, stout stems, often 2 feet long. Each, 45c.

FORT MONMOUTH. A spectacular flower of rich crimsonmaroon. One of the giants of the Dahlia world. Has been grown 12 to 15 inches in diameter. The immense blooms are borne on long stiff stems. A prolific bloomer and an excellent keeper when cut. Highly recommended. Each, 75c.

GILDA GRAY. Pure lilac shading to Tyrian-rose towards center. Stiff stems. Each, 50c.

JANE COWL. Deep, massive bloom of bronzy-buff and old gold shading deeper at a perfect center. Without special care it often reaches ten inches in diameter and by special care and disbudding it will grow to twelve and fourteen inches. Each 60c.

JERSEY'S BEACON. A decided novelty of Chinese scarlet with a paler reverse, giving a two-tone effect; large exhibition flower of excellent habits. This variety is possibly the most spectacular of the Jersey family. Each, 50c.

JERSEY'S BEAUTY. Beautiful true pink of recent introduc-

tion; the best pink Dahlia in existence for commercial use. The flowers are early, perfect in shape, produced in abundance, on long stems, and the keeping qualities are unexcelled. Each,

KATHLEEN NORRIS. One of the finest exhibition Dahlias grown. Monstrous flowers with broad overlapping petals of true rose-pink often attaining a diameter of 10 inches and 5 to 6 inches deep. An excellent bloomer, borne on long stiff stems, and a long keeper. Recognized as the greatest pink Dahlia in cultivation for exhibition purposes. Each, \$1.25.

MILLIONAIRE. Delicate lavender with faint pink overcast and blending of white. Each, 45c.

MRS. CARL SALBACH. Sensational variety of great size; mauve-pink with blending of white. Stems long and stiff. Each,

MRS. I DE VER WARNER. Clear lilac-rose coloring seldom secn in a Dahlia; beautifully formed; carried well on long extra strong stems, and a wonderful cut flower variety. Blooms often reach 10 inches or more across. A prize winner. Each,

PRIDE OF CALIFORNIA. A very large, thick flower of dark crimson; shades to almost maroon at the center. An ideal garden and cut flower variety. Each, 25c.

ROMAN EAGLE. Brilliant burnished copper; free flowering, on good stems. Very large, often measuring 10 to 12 inches across. Each, 75c.

SAGAMORE. An outstanding variety owing to its great beauty and wonderful keeping qualities. Large flowers of true decorative form; color golden yellow, shaded orange buff. Each, 35c.

SALMON SUPREME. Large, glistening salmon-pink blooms held erect on strong stems. Vigorous and free flowering. Each, \$1.50.

snowdrift. Large, pure white flowers with broad waxy petals. Profuse bloomer and easy to grow. One of the best whites. Each, 50c.



Aztec Glory

#### Burgess' Choice Peonies at Reduced Prices

Chinese Peonies are very desirable on account of their large size, fine colors and profuse blooming. They are perfectly hardy, and will succeed in any ground unless so wet the water stands on the surface in the winter and spring. May be planted either in the autumn or spring. Avoid planting too deeply, as this is often the cause of shy blooming; 2 inches of soil over the crown (eyes) being sufficient.

COURONNE D'OR. Large semi-rose type; pure white with ring of yellow stamens around a tuft of center petals tipped carmine.

35c each, postpaid.

DUCHESS DE NEMOURS. Fine early white variety. Strong grower and free bloomer; large double flowers; very fragrant.

35c each, postpaid.

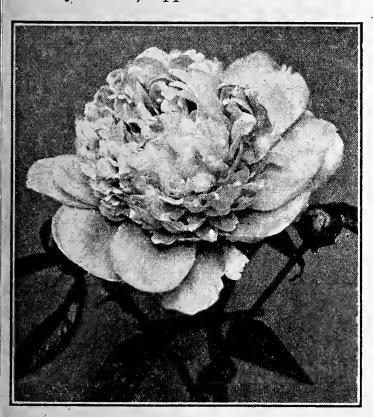
EDULIS SUPERBA. The famous Decoration Day Peony; very fragrant; of upright growth; and one of the best. Large double blossoms; beautiful pink. 40c each, postpaid.

FELIX CROUSSE. Very brilliant red; flowers mammoth in size, perfectly globular in shape, and have an agreeable fragrance.

Mid-season. 50c each, postpaid.

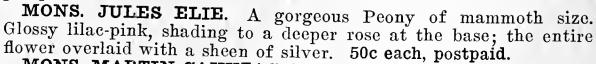
KARL ROSEFIELD. Pure, rich, intense crimson. Very large flower; globular, semi-rose type. Extremely vigorous grower, tall and free-flowering. As a late red it has no equal. 50c each, post-

MARIE LEMOINE. Large compact flowers of pure white with creamy center, tipped carmine. 40c each, postpaid.



Mons. Jules Elie (50c Each)

MLLE. VAILLANT. Outer petals creamy-white, with a touch of shell pink, blending to lemon-yellow at the center. Peony lovers who have long tried to secure a real yellow Peony will, we believe, be pleased with this variety, as it shows more yellow than any other double Peony we have seen. Very double and fragrant. 40c each, postpaid.



MONS. MARTIN CAHUZAC (The Black Peony). Deep maroon; the darkest of all red Peonies. Offered by some growers last year for as much as \$6.00 per root. \$1.50 each, postpaid.

OFFICINALIS RUBRA. The old-fashioned red "Piney" and the first Peony to bloom in the spring. Opens in plenty of time for Decoration Day. 80c each,

PHILOMELE. A beautiful, large Peony of the Anemone type. Guard of primary petals of bright violet-rose, with center of narrow, finely cut golden yellow petals. As the flower develops a crown appears of bright rose edged dark crimson. A strong, upright grower, fine bloomer and very fragrant. 75c each, postpaid.

SOLANGE. Very large rose-type flowers. Color, deep cream with orange-salmon and amber shadings. A strong grower and free bloomer. One of the finest. \$1.50 each, postpaid.

THERESE. The immense bloom of this Peony surpasses anything thus far produced. Rich satiny pink with a silky sheen. Delightfully fragrant. Flowers of enormous size; blooms most profusely. Received the highest rating of any pink Peony yet judged by the American Peony Society. \$1.50 each, postpaid.

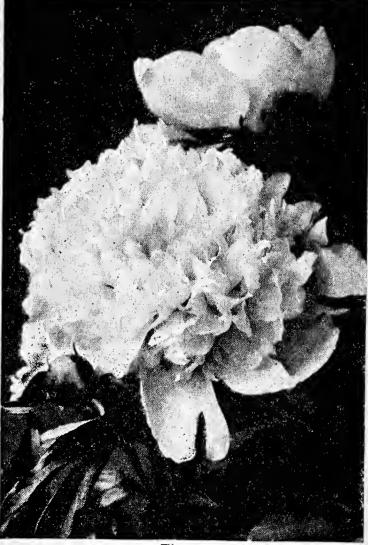
WALTER FAXON. A most exquisite color of coral pink. Semi-rose type. Beautiful flowers of wonderful size. Unsurpassed for growing fancy specimen flowers for cutting. \$1.25 each, postpaid.

UNNAMED DOUBLE PINK. 35c each; 3 for 90c. postpaid. UNNAMED DOUBLE RED. 40c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid. UNNAMED DOUBLE WHITE. 30c each; 3 for 80c, postpaid.

#### JAPANESE PEON

Entirely distinct from the Chinese varieties. No garden is complete without them. They are large cup-shaped flowers with a single row of large petals encircling a cushion of narrow golden yellow petals.

FLASHLIGHT. Pink with yellow center. \$1.25 each, postpaid. MIKADO. Red with yellow center. \$1.50 each, postpaid. MONTEBANK. White with yellow center. 75c each, postpaid.



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#### Every Peony Guaranteed

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Japanese Peony Mikado



German Iris Flammenschwert

# Burgess' Choice Iris

#### Bearded or German Iris

The German Iris is one of the most beautiful of hardy garden Will grow almost anywhere, in out-of-the-way corners, among shrubbery, etc., but for best results plant in a well drained sunny situation, barely covering the roots. Avoid fresh manure in preparing the bed. They require very little care, and will remain in the ground from year to year.

In the descriptions "S" denotes the stands or upright petals and "F" denotes the falls or drooping petals. The figures following descriptions refer to the height of the flowering stem.

HER MAJESTY. S. rosy-pink; F. darker pink veined crimson. 2½ ft. HONORABILIS. S. golden yellow; F. mahogany. 1½ ft.

KOCHII. S. and F. rich velvety purple; very early. 2 ft.

LORELEY. S. yellow splashed purple; F. purple bordered cream. Very fra-

MME. CHEREU. S. and F. white with wide border of clear blue. Frilled

PALLIDA SPECIOSA. S. and F. purple shaded lavender and red. 2½ ft. QUEEN OF MAY. S. and F. soft lilac-pink. One of the most popular. 2½ ft. RHEINE NIXE. S. white; F. rich violet-purple bordered bluish-violet. 3 ft. SHERWIN WRIGHT. S. and F. bright golden-yellow. Free blooming. 2 ft.

All the above named varieties of German Iris, 15c each; 3 for 35c; 6 for 60c; 12 for \$1.00, postpaid. In lots of 50 or more, by express, not prepaid, 8c each.

This fine mixture of German Iris contains a most wonderful variety of showy colors, including popular Fine Mixed Iris sorts which we haven't in large enough quantities to offer as named varieties. 6 for 50c; 12 for 85c; 25 for \$1.50, postpaid. In lots of 50 or more, by express, not prepaid, 4 cents each.

## ES OF GERMAN IRIS

ALCAZAR. Stands, soft violet; falls, rich crimson-purple

with white throat. Rated as one of the best. 3 ft.

AMBASSADEUR. Gigantic flowers of rich coloring and perfect form. Stands deep bronzy-lavender. Falls maroon and purple. It is impossible to adequately describe the beautiful blending of color in this variety. It was rated the most popular Iris in the world by the American Iris Society.

DREAM. Both stands and falls are soft, clear pink. Con-

sidered the best pink on the market. 3 ft.

FLAMMENSCHWERT. One of the most popular of the yellow bicolors. Stands rich golden-yellow. Falls bright crimson-maroon. An outstanding variety. 3 ft.

LA NIEGE. Beautiful creamy white of waxy texture; flaring falls. 2½ ft.

LENT A. WILLIAMSON. Stands soft violet with deep yelvety violet falls. In 1922 this Iris was rated the world's best Iris 314 ft

best Iris. 3½ ft.

MME. CHOBAUT. Soft creamy-vellow beautifully flushed rosy-bronze. The falls are edged prussian red. Must be seen

to be appreciated. 3 ft.

MOTHER OF PEARL. Unusually large flowers of perfect
form and fine texture. The iridescent coloring is that of mother of pearl. A wonderful variety. 4 ft.

white with purple dotted edge, shading to yellow at the base. PARISIANA. Stands broad, lilac and white; falls, creamy white with purple dotted edge, shading to yellow at the base.

2½ ft. PRINCESS BEATRICE. Voted by the American Iris So-

ciety as one of the best Iris. Both stands and falls are soft lavender. Flowers large, of perfect form and good texture. PROSPER LAUGIER. The finest of the bronze tones.

Stands, fiery bronze and falls of rich ruby-red with orange beard. 3 ft.

SHEKINAH. Pale lemon-yellow, deeper at center. 3 ft.

PRICES The above group of Iris are of the newer sorts that are becoming more popular as they are better known. Some of them are being offered by other growers for as much as 50c to \$1.00 each, but our own large stock of Iris enables us to offer them at the low price of 25c each; 3 for 60c; 6 for \$1.10; 12 for \$2.00, postpaid. In lots of 50 or more, by express, not prepaid, 14c each.

GOOD STANDARD VARIETIES AT BARGAIN PRICES: Celeste; Dorothea; Flavescens; Florentine; Mrs. H. Darwin; Plumari. Take your choice of these six varieties of German Iris at 3 for 30c; 6 for 50c; 12 for 90c, postpaid.

#### Siberian Iris

Many eminent authorities consider the Siberian type to be the most elegant of all Irises. They are of the easiest culture and are prodigious bloomers, an established clump often producing fifty or more flower stalks. They grow on long stems, and are excellent cut flowers, lasting a long time when cut. Their blooming period comes between the German and Japanese varieties.

ORIENTALIS. Rich deep purple. 3 feet. 25c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$2.00.

SIBERICA. Blue and white. 4 feet. 25c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$2.00.

SNOW QUEEN. Ivory white. 3 feet. 25c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$2.00.

SIBERIAN IRIS IN MIXTURE composed of the above three varieties and several others, 6 for 80c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

### Dwarf Iris

CRISTATA. A dainty dwarf variety with large blue flowers. 4 to 6 inches high; fine for the rock garden or edge of border. 20c each; 3 for 50c; 6 for 90c; 12 for \$1.65, postpaid.

PUMILA. The earliest Iris to bloom in our gardens. The first buds open up in late March or early April and stay in bloom until well into May. The plants are so completely covered with the bright purple flowers that you can scarcely see the foliage. Height 6 inches. 25c each; 3 for 60c; 6 for \$1.10; 12 for \$2.00, postpaid.



Siberian Iris Siberica

# JAPANESE IRIS

The largest and the richest colors of all Iris. Blossoms 6 to 10 inches across, 3 to 4 blossoms on a stem. They begin blooming after all other Iris are gone and continue for 5 to 6 weeks. Fine for cut flowers. They succeed in almost any position, but like rich soil and plenty of water when they are forming buds and developing flowers.

ARARAGI. Pure dark violet, solid color. There is no better color in Japa-

nese Iris. 50c each, postpaid.

GEKKA NO NAMI. The earliest Japanese to bloom and the best white. Very

free flowering. 50c each, postpaid.

KOKI NO IRO (Purple and Gold). Enormous double flowers 8 inches across. Rich violet-purple with conspicuous golden throat. One of the best Japs. 50c

Large double flowers of mahogany-red. A late bloomer. 50c MAHOGANY.

each, postpaid.

CHOICE MIXTURE OF JAPANESE IRIS ranging from white through varying shades of purple, violet, blue and red with delicate veinings of cream, white, yellow, etc. 25c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$2.00, postpaid.

#### Water Iris

PSEUDACORUS. Bright yellow on 3 to 4 ft. stems. Valuable for planting around pools or along streams. Grows equally well in the garden among your other Irises. 35c each; 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.00, postpaid.

VERSICOLOR. A native species producing bluish-purple flowers on 24-inch stems. Invaluable for planting around pools or at the edge of a stream as it will thrive when the roots are standing in 2 or 3 inches of water. 35c each; 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.00, postpaid.

#### Iris Seed

While we recommend Iris plants to our customers, we can supply seed to those who want it. Iris grown from seed will not bloom until the second year. The planting of seed, however, enables one to get started with a good assortment of colors at a very low cost. Seed in mixture of colors only.

GERMAN—Pkt., 20c. JAPANESE—Pkt., 15c. SIBERIAN—Pkt., 15c.

SIBERIAN-Pkt., 15c.



Japanese Iris

English Ivy

# Evergreen Shrubs and

#### **RHODODENDRONS**

The Rhododendron is, without doubt, the finest and most valuable of all the broad-leaved Evergreen shrubs. Although most effective when planted in masses, smaller groups and units are invaluable for shaded nooks about the house or lawn.

Our Rhododendrons are nice, select plants, carefully packed with a ball of earth on the roots,

and are guaranteed to reach you in good growing condition.

Catawbiense. Very hardy, with attractive foliage of round shining green leaves, glaucous beneath, in terminal clusters. The flowers are borne abundantly in large trusses, in shades of lavender and purple, appearing early in June. Choice plants, 2 to 3 feet tall, by express, not prepaid, at \$4.00 each.

Maximum. Foliage very large and smooth. Blooms in July; flowers of rosy blush and white. Very attractive for natural effects along shaded walks and drives, and best for massing. Choice

plants, 2 to 3 feet tall, by express, not prepaid, at \$4.00 each.

#### DAPHNE (Garland Flower)

A dwarf evergreen shrub which has become very popular due to the beauty and pleasing fragrance of its blossoms. The soft pink flowers appear profusely during April and May. Later, in the fall, it will blossom again. The fall

flowers are not affected by frost and frequently can be picked in early December. The bluegreen foliage is handsome at all seasons of the year. It is ideal for the herbaceous border, edging the shrubbery border or in the rock garden. The plant grows to a height of one

foot, with spreading branches which cover over a space of two to three feet. We can supply choice plants in two sizes, and will deliver them to you balled and burlapped (carefully packed with earth about the roots) at the following low

6 to 12-inch spread, by parcel post, postpaid, \$1.50 each. By express, not pre-

paid, \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50; or 6 or more at 75c each.

12 to 18-inch spread, by parcel post, postpaid, \$2.50 each.

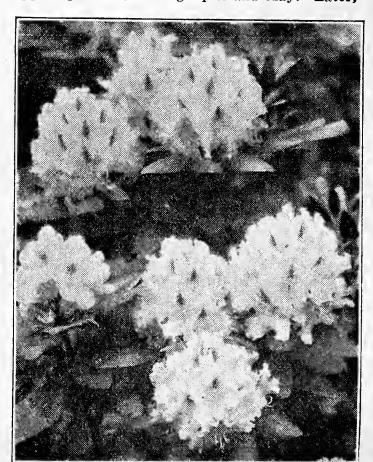
paid, \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.50; or 6 or more at \$1.25 each.

#### **EVERGREEN BITTERSWEET**

(Euonymus Vegetus.) A beautiful thick leaved evergreen shrub or vine. Will grow in either shady or sunny location. If planted near a wall, they make a low vine, and if planted in the open, they grow into a low spreading evergreen shrub. They bear bright orange-red berries in the autumn like the wild Bittersweet, the berries remaining on the plant the greater part of the winter. The plants also hold their beautiful green leaves all winter. 2-year-old plants, 50c each, postpaid.

#### HARDY ENGLISH IVY

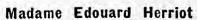
A true evergreen climbing vine which retains its beautiful, broad, glossy, dark green leaves all winter. It is perfectly hardy in the open ground, and can be grown in the shade, near porches and foundations, where very few other plants will grow. It is a most desirable vine wherever a low or medium size vine is wanted; much used for cemetery work. It also makes an excellent house plant or tub plant for the porch. By pruning it will branch out and can easily be trained into fine globe, pyramid, and fan-shaped specimens. Choice pot plants, 30c each, postpaid.



Rhododendrons



Mrs. Henry Bowles



Los Angeles

Joanna Hill



Francis Scott Key



Edith Nellie Perkins

Burges' Hardy Roses

We handle the most select varieties of Roses, and are offering both two-year-old field-grown and one-year-old pot-grown plants. As for hardiness in the North and quality of blooms on established plants there is very little choice. For those customers who are not familiar with

established plants there is very little choice. For those customers who are not familiar with the difference between these two classes, we list here a brief outline of the advantages of each.

The one-year Roses listed in this catalog are grown on their own roots and when ready to send out are smaller than field grown stock. They are produced at lower cost than field grown plants and are sold for less. They are the only type that can be furnished in one-year stock. The greenhouse grown plants are shipped in full leaf and may be transplanted during any season of the year. As field grown stock cannot sometimes be held dormant after the middle of May, late orders will be filled with two-year-old pot-grown plants.

Our two-year Roses are nearly all budded. The selection of strong understocks will make sturdy plants out of normally weak growing varieties. The understock is grown one year, budded the second and sold the third, being grown in the field during all stages. Being older and stronger plants, they will produce much quicker results. They are dormant when shipped, and therefore, easier to handle.

Our field grown stock is all Northern grown, to assure our customers of receiving the hardiest type of plants. Northern stock will also give the utmost of satisfaction when planted in either the South or West.

#### Everblooming Hybrid-Tea Roses

These roses are the result of crossing the tender everblooming Tea Roses with the hardy Hybrid Perpetuals or "June Roses." These roses are hardy and of vigorous growth, but should be given winter protection in the Northern States by hilling the soil up around the plants to a depth of 6 or 8 inches and covering with loose clean straw or leaves. They have the size of flower and exquisite fragrance of the "June Rose," combined with the constant blooming qualities, delicate tints and rich bright colors of the "Tea" or Monthly Blooming Roses. In other words, they inherit the good points of both the Teas and Hybrid Perpetuals, and bloom continually from the continual of the conti early summer until fall frosts set in. Both our one-year and two-year-old plants, set out this

spring, will bloom this year. The two-year-old plants should have an abundance of roses.

COLUMBIA. Deep peach pink. Magnificent blossoms, often measuring six inches across; fragrance beyond description; almost thornless.

CRUSADER. Rich, velvety crimson; heavily petaled, big double blooms, on long stems, and deliciously fragrant. Robust, strong growing, free flowering and disease resisting.

EDITH NELLIE PERKINS. Very fine double flowers. Inside of petals salmon-pink; outside

coppery-orange. Strong grower with few thorns.

E. G. HILL. Probably the largest red Hybrid Tea Rose yet produced; dazzling scarlet, shading to a deeper pure red as it develops. Very free flowering.

ETOILE de HOLLANDE. Magnificent, brilliant red flowers. Very fragrant and particularly

free flowering FRANCIS SCOTT KEY. A most perfect and glorious Rose; very large; buds and blooms of noblest form; very double; rich, glowing scarlet with darker shadings; fragrant.

GRUSS AN TEPLITZ. This is one of the most useful of all roses for the lawn, succeeding

under the most ordinary conditions. Grows freely to a height of 4 or 5 feet; hardy in all sections; vivid, dazzling, fiery crimson; sweetly fragrant; and is in bloom all the time.

HERBERT HOOVER. Large flowers; a charming blend of

cerise-pink, flame, scarlet and yellow.

JOANNA HILL. Large bright yellow buds opening into a full flower of creamy yellow. Produced on long stems. A fine cut flower variety.

LOS ANGELES. Bright pink tinged with red and shading to rich yellow at the base. Very

free flowering and one of the most satisfactory outdoor roses.

MME. BUTTERFLY. Bright pink suffused with apricot and gold.

MME. EDOUARD HERRIOT. Sparkling buds of coral-red and orange, opening to large, semi-double flowers of indescribably brilliant orange-red and salmon.

MME. JULES BOUCHE. Large fragrant white flowers shaded light blush at center. A strong grower and of free flowering habit.

MRS. HENRY BOWLES. Globular flowers of clear bright pink. A vigorous and free flowering variety. Highly recommended as one of the best pinks.

RADIANCE. Carmine-rose with opal and coppery reflections.

RED RADIANCE. A magnificent shade of cerise-red; does not fade.

REV. F. PAGE ROBERTS. Coppery red going to golden yellow with the outside of petals a reddish tint; a most charming effect. Flowers very large and double; highly fragrant. A magnificent rose

SOUVENIR DE CLAUDIUS PERNET. A true everblooming, pure yellow Rose. Yellow throughout at all stages from exquisite bud to full open flower.

SUNBURST. Orange-copper and golden yellow; extremely brilliant.

TALISMAN. Brilliant red and gold buds, opening to well shaped blooms of scarlet-orange and rich yellow.

WILLOWMERE. Superb buds and blooms of richest pink, shining with a yellow glow which seems to come from the heart of the flower. A strong grower and a persistent bloomer.

Select the varieties of Roses you want. All Roses in this catalog, with the ex-ception of Agnes, Blaze, Charm, Olympiad and Spanish Beauty, may be ordered at the following low prices:

ONE - YEAR - OLD PLANTS — 30c each; 4 for \$1.00; or 10 for \$2.20, postpaid.

LARGE TWO-YEAR-OLD FIELD GROWN PLANTS—50c each; 4 for \$1.60; or 10 for \$3.50, postpaid.

# Charm, the New Gold Medal Rose

Charm is a wonderful new rose from Holland, that has never before been offered in America. As a new rose, not yet in commerce, it was awarded the Gold Medal by the Royal Horticultural Society of the Netherlands. It is one of the finest hardy everblooming Hybrid-Tea Roses ever introduced. The brilliant flowers open as fine, long and pointed buds, are of unique durability, without any fading of their charming color, and have a very sweet perfume. When grown under glass, the color is a brilliant cherry red; as a garden rose it is bright, dark pink. It is an excellent variety for forcing as well as being unsurpassed as a hardy garden rose. The plant is strong and free-flowering, has very few thorns, is never subject to mildew, and the enormous flowers have not less than 80 petals, and are carried quite erect on long stalks and rigid stems. Your rose garden will not be complete without one or more plants of Charm. We have no one-year-old plants of this variety to offer, but can supply choice 2-year-old field grown plants at \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50, postpaid.

Charm

# YMPIAD A Beautiful Rose from France

An outstanding rose of recent introduction brought to this country from France. The long pointed buds are fiery orange-scarlet opening to oriental scarlet with golden yellow at base. Fragrant blooms produced on long stems, holding their color well even in hot weather. A strong grower and free bloomer. We have no one-year-old plants of this variety, but can supply choice 2-yearold field grown plants, \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

6 for \$1.85 18 for \$5.00

2-Year-Old Field Grown Roses Our Choice of Varieties

"SURPRISE" BARGAIN COLLECTION OF ROSES. Late in the season we usually have a surplus of some varieties of large size Rose plants, and rather than carry this stock over, we hold a clearance sale beginning May 1st and sell them for much less than their real value. These Roses are put up in collections of six plants, each plant a different variety and properly labeled. We sell these Roses for \$1.85 per collection. Remember, you will get six 2-year-old field grown Roses and they will be delivered to you prepaid. Orders will be accepted any time before May 1st, and delivery will be made as soon after May 1st as possible. It is understood that on these orders we are to select the six varieties. Send your order now, and we will see that you get the plants at the right time. \$1.85 per collection; 3 collections for \$5.00, by parcel post or prepaid express.

# Hybrid Perpetual Roses

The Hybrid Perpetuals are hardier than the Hybrid Teas, and require but little care after once planted. Perhaps the most valuable of all hardy bushes for permanent planting, as they will succeed almost anywhere. Great numbers of people living in the Northern States think they cannot grow Roses on account of the severe winters, but Roses can be grown in any climate, provided the right kinds are planted. We have listed below sturdy, vigorous kinds, suitable for the North. They thrive in all sections and bloom profusely and regularly at the usual time and intermittently throughout the summer months.

AMERICAN BEAUTY. The famous rich glowing crimson Rose.

GENERAL JACQUEMINOT. Brilliant, velvety crimson.

JUBILEE. Deep velvety marconstructure. Very large and free flowering.

MME. ALBERT BARBIER. Sometimes called the Yellow American Beauty. Large full double flowers of soft fawn-yellow blended ith pinkish shades at the center, changing to creamy white with age. An unusual color for a rose in this class.

PAUL NEYRON. The largest rose ever produced, sometimes measuring six inches across; clear rose pink.

WHITE AMERICAN BEAUTY (Frau Karl Druschki). The best white rose ever produced; blooms continuously.

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Paul Neyron

American Beauty

White American Beauty

General Jacqueminot



Baby Doll

#### (Dwarf Everblooming Roses)

The most truly everblooming of all Roses. They are practically never out of flower during the entire season.

Border your flower beds or garden walks with these delightful Roses and have a continuous mass of bloom from early spring until after frost. The growth is rapid and symmetrical, although dwarf in size, with an average height of less than 18 inches, which makes a most desirable combination for edgings and borders; unsurpassed for cemetery planting. Being perfectly hardy, low in growth and continuous bloomers, they are taking the place of Geraniums and other bedding plants, for once planted they are there to stay and increase in beauty yearly.



Ellen Poulsen

BABY DOLL. Buds and blooms are of perfect form and finish, resembling miniature tea roses. Exquisite for cutting. Makes a magnificent show in the open ground, always blooming from early spring until late fall. The tips of the petals are vivid scarlet, then mellow down through shades of pink into saffron, lavender and gold, finally into deep old gold, a combination extraordinary and pleasing.

ELLEN POULSEN. Dark, brilliant pink; sweet-scented.

GOLDEN SALMON. Orange scarlet buds changing to blazing orange. Splendid

effect when massed.

IDEAL. The brightest red Baby Rose.

KATHERINE ZEIMET (White Baby). Pure white.

All the above varieties of Roses will be delivered prepaid at the prices shown at the bottom of this page.

## Hardy Eskimo Beauty Roses

The Rugosa roses and their Hybrids, commonly known as the Eskimo Beauties, are the hardiest race of roses in cultivation. They are not only suited to the coldest Northern States, but do equally as well in the South and West; in the mountains and at the sea shore; in fact they will grow most anywhere, requiring no care or protection and will adapt themselves perfectly in rough places and neglected corners of your yard. They are valuable for their resistance to insects, disease, blight, etc., and their ability to thrive under all sorts of adverse conditions, withstanding almost anything except prolonged drought or excessive moisture.

They make dense compact shrubs 4 to 6 feet in height and are very useful as well as ornamental both as specimen plants and in the shrubbery border. They are the most dependable of all roses and should be liberally planted.

A severe pruning immediately following the spring blooming period will bring an abundance of bloom through late summer and fall.

AMELIE GRAVEREAUX. Large, full double, carmine-red flowers changing to "American Beauty" red as the blooms develop. A new variety and one of the finest of the Hybrid Rugosas. The flowers are produced in profu-

sion during June and again in the fall.

BELLE POITEVINE. Full double flowers of bright rose produced in loose clusters and in flower continuously from June until frost. Its dense growth, good foliage, and

extreme hardiness make it ideal for hedges.

F. J. GROOTENDORST (Everblooming Carnation Rose). Small, bright red, double fringed flowers produced in large clusters resembling bouquets of red carnations. Blooms profusely from spring until frost. A very vigorous plant, growing to a height of 6 feet. When kept trimmed to a height of about 4 feet it makes a fine everblooming bodge. A very desirable shrub, and we consider it the most dependable rose in evictories. hedge. A very desirable shrub, and we consider it the most dependable rose in existence. PINK GROOTENDORST. A shell-pink flowered form of F. J. Grootendorst. Blooms

throughout the season. SIR THOMAS LIPTON. Flowers perfectly double; pure white; very fragrant; borne in profusion in the spring and sparingly through the summer and fall. Extremely

HUGONIS. While not of the Rugosa class, Hugonis is listed here because of its

extreme hardiness. It is the first rose to bloom in the spring, producing a profusion of single canary-yellow flowers closely set along the entire length of every branch. One of the few yellow roses that does not fade.

Amelie Gravereaux All Roses, except Agnes, Blaze, Charm, Olympiad and Spanish Beauty, are delivered at the following

ONE-YEAR-OLD PLANTS-30c each; 4 for \$1.00; or 10 for \$2.20,

LARGE TWO-YEAR-OLD FIELD GROWN PLANTS-50c each; 4 for \$1.60; or 10 for \$3.50, postpaid.



F. J. Grootendorst

#### New Yellow Hybrid Rugosa

AGNES. Coppery-yellow buds opening to ivory-yellow. A wonderful new variety developed by the Canadian Government and one of the hardiest. A fine double rose, richly fragrant and the only yellow Hybrid Rugosa. We have no one-year-old plants of this variety to offer, but can supply choice 2-yearold field grown plants at 75c each, postpaid.

# Hardy Climbing Roses

These Roses are necessary for the home, giving it a touch of beauty and calling forth more admiration than any other ornamental plants. They are used extensively for screening undesirable views of buildings and create most delightful and refreshing shade when used on porches, verandas, pillars and fences. All are hardy everywhere and require very little care and attention to produce an amazing profusion of exquisite hued blossoms.

BLAZE The only hardy ever-blooming red climber. For description and picture in natural colors, see inside front cover page of this catalog. Heavy 2-year-old field grown plants only. \$2.00 each, postpaid.

FLOWER OF FAIRFIELD. An old, well-known variety but still very popular. Sometimes referred to as the "Everblooming Crimson Rambler." Crimson flowers borne in clusters in the spring and sparingly through the summer and



Mary Wallace

CLIMBING AMERICAN BEAUTY. A sturdy, vigorous grower, absolutely hardy, throwing strong flowering canes in one season which are covered with dark, glossy foliage that is immune to disease and insects. The Roses are 3 to 4 inches in diameter, are produced on individual stems, vivid rosy-crimson in color, and with the same delicious fragrance as the old American Beauty.

LE REVE. We consider this variety the best of all yellow climbers. Golden yellow buds open into bright yellow semi-double flowers.



Climbing American Beauty -

A profuse bloomer, and probably fades the least of any yellow climber. MARY LOVETT. The finest of all hardy white climbers. Waxy-white, sweet scented, double flowers, 4 inches in diameter.

MARY WALLACE. Large, clear, bright pink flowers, flushed salmon at base. A vigorous grower.

SPANISH BEAUTY (Mme. Gregoire Staechelin). A new type of climbing Rose brought to this country from Spain. The long pointed buds are crimson, opening to iridescent pearl-pink splashed with carmine. The large semi-double flowers, often measuring 5 inches across, are borne on 12 to 15 inch stems. One of the earliest to bloom, free flowering and fragrant, a characteristic which is seldom found in hardy climbers. The flowers are followed by large attractive fruits. A vigorous grower and resistant to disease. One-year-old plants 35c each postnaid. Choice 2-yearand resistant to disease. One-year-old plants, 35c each, postpaid. Choice, 2-year-old, field grown plants, 65c each; postpaid.

PAUL'S SCARLET CLIMBER. Expert rose growers agree that this is the best and most valuable climbing red rose for home planting. The full, double, scarlet flowers cover the entire bush in a solid vivid mass of flaming red, making a brilliant display for a long time. The petals do not fade like many climbing roses, but retain their bright color, and remain in bloom for from two to four weeks. National Rose Society gold medal and cup for the best Climbing Rose.

# Rambler Roses 30c Each 10 for \$2.20

The Ramblers are a class of climbing Roses of vigorous habit which produce their flowers in clusters. While the individual blossoms are not large, the immense clusters are borne in great profusion, and make a gorgeous showing. You surely have a place for some of this class of climbing Roses. You can use them on porches, arbors, arches, pergolas, clothes-posts, fences and old stumps of trees. Hardy everywhere.

BLUE RAMBLER (Vielchenblau). Flowers rosy-lilac when opening, and changing

to a metallic blue. One of the most rampant growers, covering a large porch in a single season; very showy.

DOROTHY PERKINS. Flowers in large clusters; very double, with prettily crinkled petals; remarkably pretty pointed buds; beautiful clear shell pink in color, lasting a long time without fading. The best pink râmbler.

RED DOROTHY PERKINS (Excelsa). The most popular red rambler; large clusters of rich searlet

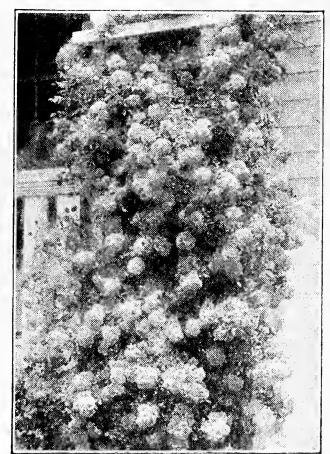
ters of rich scarlet WHITE DOROTHY. A pure white sport of the well-known Dorothy Perkins. YELLOW RAMBLER (Goldfinch). Deep yellow buds borne in large clusters, opening into cream colored flowers with yellow centers. A strong grower and a free

TAUSENDSCHOEN (Thousand Beauties). A climbing Rose which produces on the same plant so many different colored flowers that it is impossible to describe the variations, hence the fitting name, "Thousand Beauties." Blooms profusely during June and July; double flowers in large clusters. The colors run from tender rose through the intermediate shades of bright rose and carmine, with white and yellow

tints showing.

PRICES All Roses listed in this catalog, with the exception of Agnes, Blaze, Charm, Olympiad and Spanish Beauty, will be delivered to you, pre-

paid, at the following low prices:
ONE YEAR OLD PLANTS—30c each; 4 for \$1.00; or 10 for \$2.20, postpaid.
LARGE TWO YEAR OLD FIELD GROWN PLANTS—50c each; 4 for \$1.60; or 10 for \$3.50, postpaid.



Yellow Rambler

# Ornamental and Flowering Shrubs

Butterfly Bush (40c Each)



Cydonia Japonica (See page 99) (25c Each)



Althea (Rose of Sharon)-25c Each

The shrubs we offer are strong healthy field grown plants which, with ordinary care, should give the very best of satisfaction. Our prices are placed as low as possible and still give our customers the high-grade stock that has enabled us to build up our enormous business.

The 18 to 24 inch sizes are 2 and 3 years old while the larger sizes vary from 3 to 5 years of age. In order to meet present day demands for low priced stock we have also included this year a 12 to 18 inch grade. These are mostly of one and two years' growth and cannot be compared to the larger sizes which are older. However, they are old enough to be easily transplanted and will give you an opportunity to landscape your premises at little cost. We are sure that our plants will please you. As an added feature we furnish complete instructions for planting and care of trees, shrubs, evergreens, perennials, etc.

There are very few lawns which could not be improved in appearance by the addition of a few more shrubs. A small amount of money spent on shrubbery will beautify your home and greatly increase the value of your property.

Figures following variety names indicate approximately the height of the plant when approaching maturity.

ALMOND. 4 feet. Early spring flowering shrub, gaily in full bloom before leaves appear, with beautiful, double flowers of pink or white, snuggling tight to twigs. We can supply plants in Double Pink or Double White, in the following sizes: 12 to 18 inches, 45c; 18 to 24 inches, 60c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 70c; 3 to 4 feet, 80c.

ALTHEA (Rose of Sharon). 8 feet. Bloom profusely in late summer and early fall, when few other shrubs are in bloom. These are the color spots of fall, as Lilacs and Weigelas are of spring. We can supply the finest double flowered varieties in the following colors: Blue, Pink, Red, White. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 35c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 45c; 3 to 4 feet, 50c.

AMORPHA (False Indigo). 8 feet. Attractive deep violet-blue flowers in June; feathery foliage. The finest blue flowered shrub. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 40c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 50c; 3 to 4 feet, 60c.

AZALEA MOLLIS (Chinese Azalea). 3 feet. The hardiest of the Azaleas. Thrives under ordinary garden conditions, but prefers partial shade. A most useful shrub to plant as undergrowth for tall trees or as a border in front of tall shrubs. Blooms profusely in April and May. There is no other shrub that can rival the Azalea. Color ranges through the varying shades of apricot, golden-salmon and terra-cotta. A wonderful assortment, sold in mixture only. Blooming size plants, 12 to 15 inches, balled and burlapped, by express, not prepaid, \$1.75 each,

BARBERRY, Japanese (Berberis Thunbergii). 4 feet. Beautiful shrub of neat, dense growth, with graceful drooping branches. Yellow flowers, followed by scarlet berries in fall and winter. Fine for planting along drives and walks. As a

hedge plant, it needs no trimming.

12 to 18 inches, 2-year-old plants, 20c each; 5 for 90c; 10 for \$1.70, postpaid.

By express, not prepaid, 25 for \$3.00; 100 for \$10.00.

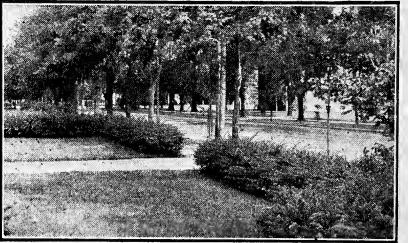
18 to 24 inches, 2-year-old plants, by express, not prepaid, 25c each; 5 for \$1.10; 10 for \$2.10; 25 for \$4.50; 100 for \$16.00.

24 to 30 inches, 2-year-old plants, by express, not prepaid, 30c each; 5 for \$1.30; 10 for \$2.45; 25 for \$5.25; 100 for \$19.00.

24 to 30 inches, extra heavy 3-year-old plants, by express, not prepaid, 35c each; 5 for \$1.50; 10 for \$2.80; 25 for \$6.00; 100 for \$22.00.

#### Red-Leaved Japanese Barberry

4 feet. Like the green-leaved Japanese Barberry except that the color is of a rich, Instrous, bronzy red, similar to the richest red-leaved Japanese Maples. If planted in a sunny situation, the coloring becomes more brilliant and gorgeous as the season advances, and in the fall its foliage changes to vivid orange, scarlet and red shades. In this coloring it is unequaled by any other shrub. Brilliant, scarlet berries remain on the plant the entire winter. The United States Department of Agriculture pronounces it rust-resisting. 1 to 1½ feet, 45c each, postpaid. 1½ to 2 feet, by express not proposed 60c. press, not prepaid, 60c.



Barberry Hedge (Plants, \$10.00 per 100)

#### BUTTERFLY BUSH

(Buddleia Magnifica). 5 feet. The most perpetual bloomer and one of the finest of all shrubs; flowers from early summer until severe frosts. A single plant the first season will throw out as many as 50 flower spikes, which increase greatly in number during succeeding years. Beautiful lilac-colored flowers borne on flower heads which frequently measure 10 inches in length. The blooms will attract butterflies by the hundreds. 1 to 2 feet, 40c each, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 50c; 3 to 4 feet, 60c.

#### NEW BEAUTY BUSH

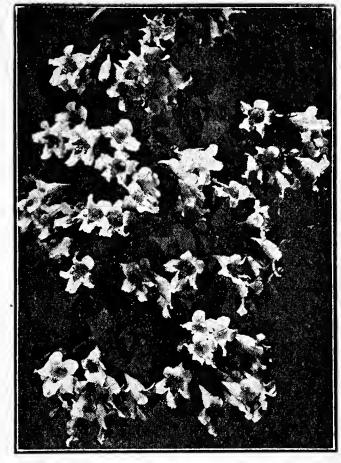
(Kolkwitzia Amabilis)

An exceedingly handsome ornamental shrub which has come to us from the wilderness of China. It grows 6 to 9 feet tall, with the inner stems erect or ascending and the outer ones arching to the ground, the whole plant forming a dome-shaped mass. The flowers are produced along the entire length of the branches in clusters at the ends of short leafy shoots. They are tubular with a gaping mouth, deep pink with yellow-brown throat and lip. The immense clusters of flowers are produced in great abundance, and in June the whole bush is a shower of pure pink. The flowers are followed by curious cobwebby fruits. The graceful habit of the plant, its free-flowering qualities and pleasing color, combined with perfect hardiness, make this one of the most beautiful and useful shrubs. 12 to 18 inches, 60c; 18 to 24 inches, 75c, postpaid. 2 to 3 feet, by express, not prepaid, 85c.

CALYCANTHUS Floridus (Sweet Scented Shrub). 6 feet. A unique shrub of upright growth; large glossy leaves; odd, double, spicily fragrant flowers of mahogany red; blooms in June and at intervals thereafter. 12 to 18 inches, 40c; 18 to 24 inches, 60c, postpaid. 2 to 3 feet, by express, not prepaid. 70c.

CORAL BERRY or INDIAN CURRANT. 4 feet. Graceful shrub; flowers light pink, followed by clusters of bright red berries, which remain on the branches until late in the winter. Very ornamental. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 35c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 45c; 3 to 4 feet, 55c.

CYDONIA JAPONICA (Japanese Quince). 7 feet. Spreading, compact shrub; completely covered with dazzling scarlet flowers, very early in the spring, followed by small, quince-shaped fruits which are quite fragrant. Glossy foliage. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 40c, postpaid. 2 to 3 feet, by express, not prepaid, 60c.



Beauty Bush, photo furnished us by Courtesy Arnold Arboretum, Harvard University

Deutzia Pride of Rochester (25c Each)

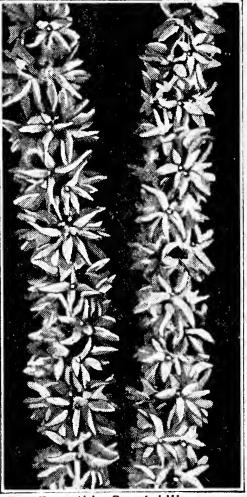
## Cornus or Dogwood

The Dogwoods are valuable for their handsome variegations of foliage in Summer, brilliancy of fruits in Fall, and highly colored barks in Winter. All varieties do well in sun or shade. May be used to advantage in shrub groups. For the flowering tree Dogwoods see page 106.

GOLDEN-BRANCHED (Lutea). 6 feet. A broad bush with bright yellow bark. Strikingly conspicuous when combined with the red barked varieties. Small white flowers; white berries. Very attractive. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 40c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2. to 3 feet, 50c; 3 to 4 feet, 60c.

RED-BRANCHED (Siberica). 8 feet. Bright coralred bark. Yellowish white flowers in Spring and a profusion of bluish white berries in the Fall. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 40c, postpaid. By express not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 50c; 3 to 4 feet, 60c.

VARIEGATED-LEAVED (Elegantissima Variegata). 8 feet. One of the finest variegated shrubs. The dark green leaves are broadly margined and blotched white; small white flowers in clusters, followed by black berries which remain a long time; brilliant red bark. 12 to 18 inches, 35c; 18 to 24 inches, 50c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 60c; 3 to 4 feet, 70c.



Forsythia Spectabilis (35c Each)

#### **Deutzias**

Gracilis. The best low growing Deutzia and one of the best dwarf shrubs. Forms round compact masses of white in June. Fine for planting in front of other shrubs. 12 to 18 inches, 40c, postpaid. 18 to 24 inches, heavy, by express, not prepaid, 50c.

Pride of Rochester. 8 feet. One of the finest shrubs; a vigorous upright grower; very double, bell-shaped flowers borne in great profusion during the month of June. Flowers white, tinged rose. Excellent contrast where grouped with Weigela Eva Rathke. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 40c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 50c; 3 to 4 feet, 60c.

#### HYPERICUM (Gold Flower)

2½ ft. Bright golden yellow flowers two inches or more across. Fern-like foliage on purplish arching stems. A prolific bloomer and a shrub that will do well in partial shade. 12 to 18 inches, 35c; 18 to 24 inches, 50c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 60c.

#### Forsythia (Golden Bell)

The Forsythias are beautiful shrubs with golden yellow flowers that appear very early in the spring, before the leaves, frequently while the ground is still covered with snow. Branches cut off in winter and put in a vase of water will bloom in the house. We can supply the following three varieties:

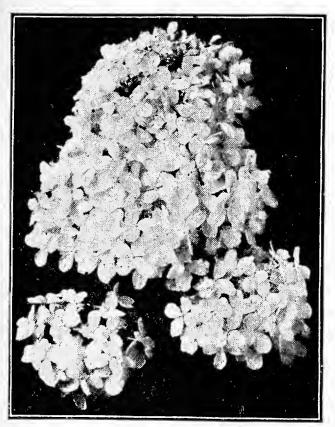
FORTUNEII. 10 feet. The old popular variety. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 35c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 45c; 3 to 4 feet, 55c.

SPECTABILIS. 10 feet. The showiest of all Forsythias. The branches are so densely covered with the golden yellow flowers that the wood is scarcely visible. 12 to 18 inches, 35c; 18 to 24 inches, 45c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 55c; 3 to 4 feet, 65c.

WEEPING (Suspensa). 8 feet. Graceful, long, slender, drooping branches, with long sprays of golden yellow flowers. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 35c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 45c; 3 to 4 feet, 55c.



Purple Fringe (Smoke Tree) (50c Each)



Hydrangea Hills of Snow (35c Each)

#### PURPLE FRINGE (Smoke Tree)

15 feet. The Purple Fringe or Smoke Tree (Rhus Cotinus) is a conspicuous spreading shrub or small tree; overhung in midsummer by mist-like clouds of tiny flowers. These billowing panicles of light lavender give the impression of smoke at a distance. One of the most beautiful of all large shrubs. Can be grouped with other shrubs or used as a lawn specimen. 12 to 18 inches, 50c; 18 to 24 inches, 65c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 80c; 3 to 4 feet, 95c.

Honeysuckles

TARTARIAN PINK. 12 feet. A large, handsome bush. Loaded with pink flowers in the spring, followed by red berries during the summer and fall. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 35c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 45c; 3 to 4 feet, 55c.

feet. White flowered variety of above. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 35c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 45c; 3 to 4 feet, 55c.

Red flowered form of above. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 35c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 45c; 3 to 4 feet, 55c.

MORROWII (Japanese Bush Honeysuckle). 8 feet. A broad, spreading bush; pure white flowers which change to yellow tones, followed by a multitude of bloodred berries which furnish the most thrilling spectacle among summer-fruiting shrubs. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24



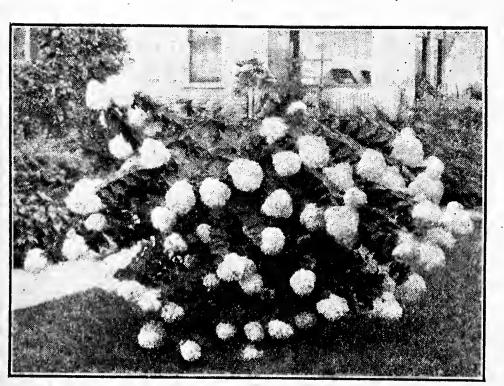
Tartarian Bush Honeysuckle (25c Each)

inches, 35c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 45c; 3 to 4 feet, 55c.

#### Hydrangeas

Hills of Snow. 5 feet. The earliest blooming Hydrangea, flowering from June until August; large balls of beautifully formed flowers of dazzling whiteness. A magnificent shrub which does well in either shady or sunny places. 12 to 18 inches, 35c; 18 to 24 inches, 45c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 60c; 3 to 4 feet, 70c.

Paniculata Grandiflora. 9 feet. One of the most popular shrubs; blooms from August until autumn, after which the blooms may be dried for winter bouquets. Immense pyramidal panicles of bloom a foot long, white at first, but gradually turning to rose color. Will blossom the same year they are set out. 12 to 18 inches, 35c; 18 to 24 inches, 45c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 60c; 3 to 4 feet, 70c.



Hydrangea Paniculata Grandiflora (35c Each)

For indoor Hydrangeas, see page 77.

#### Winged Burning Bush

(Euonymus Alatus)

6 feet. A handsome shrub, usually broader than high, and most regular in outline. The outstanding characteristics are its winged branches, coming from the plant in horizontal planes, and its peculiar corky bark. Yellow-red flowers in June. The bright green leaves change in Autumn to deep rose, a color unusual among shrubs. Particularly handsome in Fall with its brilliant foliage and small, scarlet fruits. Best used as a specimen as its horizontal grace is lost in mass planting. 12 to 18 inches, 60c; 18 to 24 inches, 80c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, \$1.00; 3 to 4 feet, \$1.25.

#### Lace Bush

(Stephanandria Flexuosa.) 5 feet. A fine shrub with very ornamental, feathery, fern-like foliage, deep green in Summer and bronze-red in Autumn. Branches, spreading and drooping. Cream colored flowers in June. A handsome shrub which should be extensively used in the shrubbery border and other landscape work. 12 to 18 inches, 40c; 18 to 24 inches, 60c, postpaid. 2 to 3 feet, by express, not prepaid, 75c.

# French Hybrid Lilacs

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The hybrid Lilacs listed below differ from the common Lilacs in that their flower clusters are much larger and fragrance more entrancing. The plants themselves are more dwarf and bushy, usually reaching a height of 6 to 8 feet, and do not sucker or sprout from the roots. A much greater range of color runs through the varieties of hybrids than may be found in the common varieties.

CHARLES X. Large trusses of single flowers; rich purple, with a tinge of lavender and red. The finest of its color.

CONGO. Immense trusses of deep wine-red flowers. The best of its color and one of the most popular varieties.

MARIE LE GRAYE. Large panicles of single, pure glistening white flowers in great profusion; a wonderful white variety.

PRESIDENT GREVY. The most popular blue variety. A profuse bloomer; magnificent panicles of large double lilac-blue flowers, very fragrant.

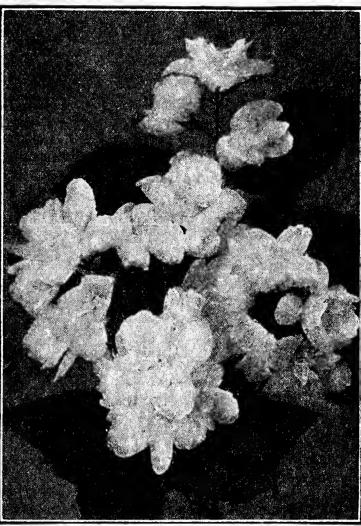
PRICES We can supply choice plants of the above named varieties of French Hybrid Lilacs, 12 to 18 inches, 40c; 18 to 24 inches, 60c each, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 80c each; 3 to 4 feet, \$1.00 each.

#### **COMMON LILACS**

COMMON PUR-PLE. 12 feet. The well known old-fashioned Lilac. Fragrant, lilac-colored flowers in May. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 40c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 60c; 3 to 4 feet, 75c.

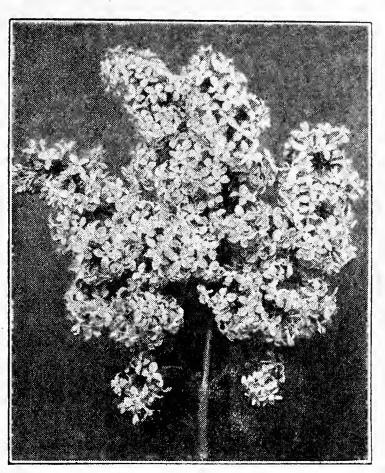
COMMON WHITE. 9 feet. Pure white, single flowers; fragrant. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 40c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 60c; 3 to 4 feet, 75c.

PERSIAN. 9 feet. Very graceful, drooping branches; does not sucker or sprout from the roots. Single, light lavender, loosely arranged flowers; beautiful for cutting. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 40c, postpaid.





Philadelphus Coronarius (25c Each)



Lilac Marie Le Graye (40c Each)

#### PRIVET

Besides being one of our best hedge plants, the Privets form interesting groups on the lawn, and make richly green foliage backgrounds against foundation walls. Useful in shaded places. To plant a single row, set them about 9 inches apart; for a double row, about 18 inches apart each way and alternately.

AMOOR RIVER. Hardy northern type; will withstand 40 degrees below zero without injury. Bright green, somewhat lustrous leaves; fragrant white flowers followed by blue-black berries.  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 feet, 25c each, postpaid; or 10 for \$1.00; 25 for \$2.00; 100 for \$7.00, by express, not prepaid.

CALIFORNIA. The finest of all Privets for localities where the winters are not too severe. Shiny, dark green, leathery foliage.  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 feet, 25c each, postpaid; or 10 for 80c; 25 for \$1.50; 100 for \$5.00, by express, not prepaid.

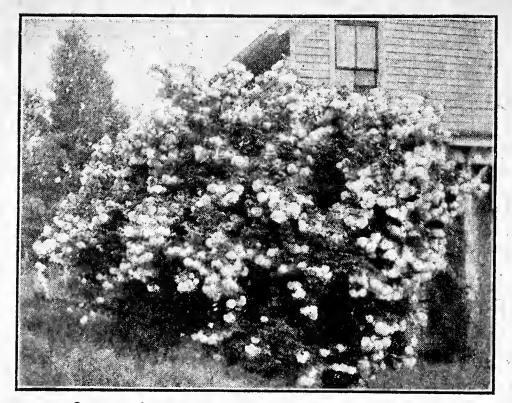
REGAL. An extremely hardy type with dark shiny leaves. The branches spread horizontally instead of upright as in other privets. A graceful drooping plant suitable for informal hedges and especially adapted to foundation planting. 1½ to 2 feet, 35c each, postpaid; or 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.25; 100 for \$15.00, by express, not prepaid.

#### Philadelphus, Syringa or Mock Orange

CORONARIUS. 8 feet. An old variety, but one of the finest for grouping and specimen planting. Beautiful white flowers in early summer; probably the most fragrant of all shrub blossoms. Fine for cutting. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 35c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 50c; 3 to 4 feet, 60c.

VIRGINALIS (Double Syringa). 6 feet. A magnificent variety. The flowers are double and the largest and most striking of all varieties; often measure two inches or more in diameter, very fragrant and excellent for cutting. It has a long blooming season, making its best display of flowers in May and June, and continues to blossom into the fall. One of the most desirable shrubs for the border and for foundation plantings. Many who have seen it, declare it to be the most beautiful white flowered shrub that has been introduced within the last quarter of a century. 12 to 18 inches, 35c; 18 to 24 inches, 50c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 65c; 3 to 4 feet, 80c.

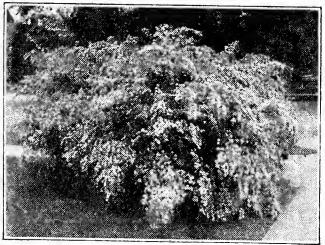
AUREA (Golden Syringa). 5 feet. Golden-yellow foliage; white flowers. The best golden-leaved shrub and one of the few that will hold its color when planted in the shade. When dotted at intervals along the shrub border they add life and character to the planting; also valuable for grouping and foundation planting. 12 to 18 inches, 50c each, postpaid. 18 to 24 inches, heavy, by express, not prepaid, 60c.



Common Snowball (Viburnum Sterilis)-25c Each

#### Mayflower Viburnum (Pink Flowered Snowball)

The Fragrant Mayflower Viburnum Carlesi (Pink Flowered Snowball) is one of the earliest shrubs to bloom in the spring. It is a dwarf, compact shrub, growing to a height of about 4 feet, with beautiful silvery-green foliage. The large, globular clusters of beautiful flowers, which completely cover the bush in May, are white tinged with pink, and have the fragrance of the trailing arbutus. This shrub is considered by the Arnold Arboretum of Harvard University shrub is considered by the Arnold Arboretum of Harvard University as Korea's great gift to our gardens. Entirely hardy, but does best in a somewhat sheltered position. 12 to 18 inches, \$1.00; 18 to 24 inches, \$1.25, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, \$1.50.



Spirea Van Houttei (Bridal Wreath) (25c Each)



Spirea, Anthony Waterer (40c Each)

#### **SNOWBALL**

COMMON SNOWBALL (Viburnum Sterilis). 12 feet. A well-known favorite shrub with globular clusters of pure white flowers. Most attractive for Decoration Day, as they are usually in full bloom at that time. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 40c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 60c; 3 to 4 feet, 70c.

JAPANESE SNOWBALL (Viburnum Plicatum). 8 feet. Erect, compact growing; purple tinted foliage of beautiful pattern, spangled with perfect ovoid corymbs of purest white in June. 12 to 18 inches, 40c; 18 to 24 inches, 60c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 80c; 3 to 4 feet, \$1.00.

Sweet Pea Shrub

An extremely hardy shrub or small tree from Siberia. Sometimes called Siberian Pea Tree. Grows to a height of 15 feet. Handsome green colored bark; dainty, yellow, pea-like flowers cover the tree in May or June. By trimming it can easily be trained to grow in any shape decired and a sale of the sale of t sired, such as globe, pyramid and fan-shaped specimens. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 35c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 50c; 3 to 4 feet, 65c.

#### Snowberry

(Symphoricarpos Racemosus). 5 feet. A beautiful shrub with pinkish-white flowers in loose racemes, in summer, followed by clusters of snowwhite berries, which remain on the branches until way into the winter. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 35c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 50c; 3 to 4 feet, 60c.

#### **SPIREAS**

ANTHONY WATERER (Perpetual Blooming Red). Handsome round bush, 21/2 to 3 feet in height and width. Begins to bloom in early summer, and if the dead blossoms are picked off, it

will continue blooming until late in the fall. Bright red flowers in large clusters, all over the bush. The most popular of all red flowered shrubs. 12 to 18 inches, 40c, postpaid. 18 to 24 inches, heavy, by express, not prepaid, 50c.

AUREA (Golden Spirea). 8 feet. Of similar habit to Spirea Van Houttei; golden yellow foliage. One of the finest yellow-leaved shrubs. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 35c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 45c; 3 to 4 feet, 55c.

BILLARDI ROSEA. 6 feet. A grand shrub for planting in masses, and makes a wonderful cut flower. Spikes of beautiful pink flowers from July to October. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 40c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 50c; 3 to 4 feet, 60c.

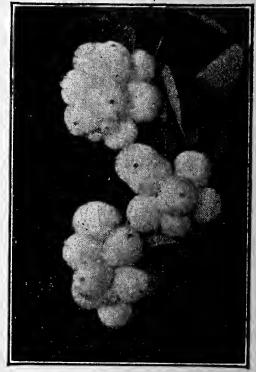
BLUE SPIREA: The Blue Spirea (Caryopteris Mastacanthus) is a most attractive shrubbery border plant, which is covered with umbels of beautiful lavender-blue flowers from September until frost. The tops die back each winter and new branches come up each spring, in about the

same manner as the Butterfly Bush. Grows about three feet high, attaining its full

height the first season. A choice plant which is easily grown, but needs some winter protection in the North. 45c each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.

FROBELI (Perpetual Blooming Pink). 3 feet. Covered with clusters of beautiful pink flowers in June, and then blooms less abundantly throughout the remainder of the summer and fall. A handsome round shrub, about six inches taller than Spirea Anthony Waterer. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 40c, postpaid. 2 to 3 feet, by express not propoid 50c. by express, not prepaid, 50c.

VAN HOUTTEL. 7 feet. A leader among shrubs and a beautiful ornament at all seasons. Sometimes called Bridal Wreath. A round and graceful bush with arching branches, covered with white flowers in the spring. No doubt one of the most useful of all shrubs. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 35c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 40c; 3 to 4 feet, 50c.



Snowberry (25c Each)

BARGAIN SALE Spirea

#### **Bush Bittersweet**

(Euonymus Europaeus). 15 ft. Large, erect shrub; yellow flowers in nodding clusters in May, followed by rose colored berries. In the fall the berries open to display the orange colored seeds in the same manner as the common Bittersweet or Celastrus, and hang on until mid-winter. The leaves turn crimson-scarlet in fall. 12 to 18 inches, 35c; 18 to 24 inches, 50c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 60c; 3 to 4 feet,

#### Fern-Leaved Sumac

RHUS, Typhina Laciniata. 10 feet. Beautiful fern-like foliage of deep green, which, in the fall, turns to shades of golden yellow and brilliant red. Especially effective if placed in the rear of lower shrubs. Flowers are borne during June and July in dense terminal panicles, followed by red fruits which are attractive in the autumn and winter. Extremely hardy; will thrive in any soil, even in dry, barren spots where little else will grow. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 35c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 45c; 3 to 4 feet, 60c.

#### ROSE ACACIA

(Robinia Hispida). 8 ft. One of the most striking of all spring flowering shrubs. The pea-shaped flowers of rose-purple are produced in May and June in loose panicles giving the impression of a cluster of sweet peas. 12 to 18 inches, 30c; 18 to 24 inches, 40c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, 50c; 3 to 4 feet, 70c.

#### 12 Shrubs for \$1.95, 5 for \$1.00

We will deliver to you by parcel post, prepaid, any of the following shrubs, in 12 to 18 inch size, at 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; or 12 for \$1.95.

ALTHEA, Double Blue ALTHEA, Double Pink ALTHEA, Double Red ALTHEA, Double White AMORPHA (False Indigo) CORAL BERRY CORNUS, Golden-Branched Dogwood CORNUS, Red-Branched Dogwood CYDONIA JAPONICA (Japanese Quince)
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HONEYSUCKLE, Morrowii LILAC, Persian LILAC, Common Purple LILAC, Common White PHILADELPHUS. Coronarius PUSSY WILLOW, French SNOWBALL (Viburnum Sterilis) SNOWBERRY SPIREA, Aurea SPIREA, Billardi Rosea SPIREA, Frobeli SPIREA, Van Houttei SUMAC, Fern Leaved SWEET PEA SHRUB TAMARIX, Africana TAMARIX, Hispida WEIGELA, Rosea

Take your choice of the above varieties at these bargain prices, and remember, we deliver them to you prepaid. Order now, and we will deliver them to you at the right plant-



French Pussy Willow (25c Each)

#### Tamarix (Feather Tree)

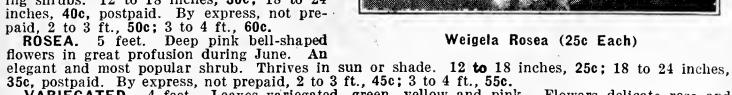
AFRICANA. 10 feet. Fine feathery foliage like that of Juniper. Delicate pink flowers, borne profusely on graceful drooping branches, which have red bark. Hardy and will thrive in almost any situation; will do well in the poorest, dry, sandy soil. A beautiful shrub. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 35c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 ft., 50c; 3 to 4 ft., 60c.

HISPIDA (Spanish Tamarix). 4 ft. A densely bushy shrub. Flowers bright coral-

pink, produced in extra large upright panicles in mid-summer. Finely feathered foliage. A very striking shrub both in and out of bloom. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 35c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 ft., 50c; 3 to 4 ft., 60c.

## Weigela

EVA RATHKE. 5 feet. An extremely showy variety; large, brilliant, crimson flowers completely cover the whole plant. during early summer, and continues to bloom on the new growth through the summer and autumn months. One of the finest flowering shrubs. 12 to 18 inches, 30c; 18 to 24



VARIEGATED. 4 feet. Leaves variegated, green, yellow and pink. Flowers delicate rose and pink. A charming shrub. 12 to 18 inches, 30c; 18 to 24 inches, 40c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 ft., 50c; 3 to 4 ft., 60c.



## French Pussy Willow

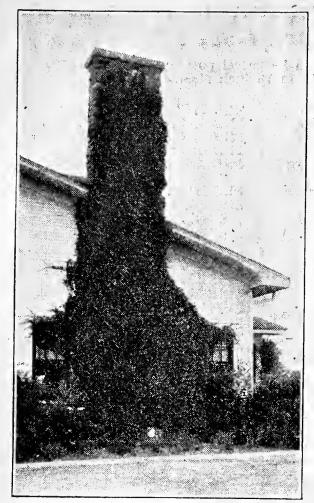
10 feet. Not the wild pussy willow but a cultivated variety that has made a sensation wherever it has been shown. Branches of this variety have been selling at retail during the winter months in cities at from \$1.00 to \$2.00 per Jozen. You Can Grow Them on Your Own Lawn. Enjoy these dainty silvery flowers every winter. A beautiful round shrub in summer. Wherever you have room for a Lilac or Snowball, you have room for a Pussy Willow. Use them for tall screens or backgrounds. Cut the ends of the branches in January or February. Place them indoors in a vase of water. Watch them unfold their large catkins of silvery pink, from 1 to 2 inches long. They will represent the process of the place of the process of the place of the process repay you many times their cost in pleasure. 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 35c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 ft., 45c; 3 to 4 ft., 55c.

## Shade Trees 40c Each; 3 for \$1.00; 7 for \$2.00

AILANTHUS (Tree of Heaven) CATALPA, Speciosa ELM, American MAPLE, Ash-Leaved (Box Elder) MAPLE, Silver MOUNTAIN ASH MULBERRY, Russian POPLAR, Carolina POPLAR, Lombardy

RED BUD TULIP TREE WILLOW, Wisconsin Weeping WILLOW, Golden

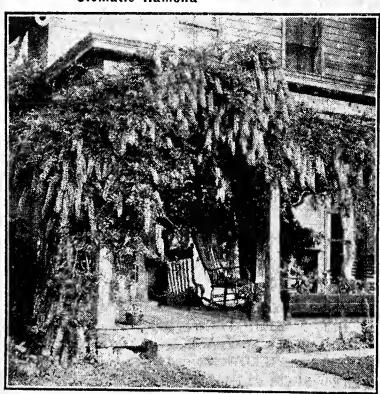
Take your choice of the above varieties of mailing size shade trees, at 40c each; 3 for \$1.00; or 7 for \$2.00, postpaid. All of these varieties are 2 to 3 feet in height, and guaranteed to grow. For descriptions of the different varieties see pages 105, 106, and 107. Remember, these trees go to you prepaid at these low prices.



Ampelopsis Veitchii (Boston Ivy)



Clematis Ramona



Wistaria

# Hardy Climbing Vines

(F) denotes vines that do extra well in shady places. (G) denotes vines that do extra well in hot, sunny situations. (H) denotes vines that are especially suited for growing on north side of house. (I) denotes vines that are especially suited for growing on east side of house. All vines are guaranteed to grow, and are two years old and field grown, unless otherwise stated.

AMPELOPSIS, Veitchii (Boston Ivy) (H). A grand hardy climbing vine for covering houses, churches, schools, etc. Clings firmly to the smoothest surface of rock or wood. The glossy leaves assume, in the autumn, the most beautiful tints of scarlet and crimson. The best vine in existence for growth on brick walls. 40c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid.

Quinquefolia (Virginia Creeper). During the fall months it is the most beautiful of all hardy vines, the deeply cut leaves turning to a most vivid crimson color. Unsurpassed for covering trees, rocky slopes, fences, etc. 30c each; 3 for 75c, postpaid.

BITTERSWEET (Celastrus Scandens) (F). A most desirable climber; handsome, large leaves; yellow flowers in May and June and clusters of ornamental orange-capsuled fruit in autumn. Fine for late fall and winter decoration. 40c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid.



**Bittersweet** 

#### Clematis

LARGE FLOWERED HYBRIDS (H). The following varieties are the best of the large flowered Clematis, producing an abundance of flowers often measuring 5 and 6 inches across.

HENRYII. Creamy White
JACKMANII. Violet-purple
MME. ED. ANDRE. Crimson-red
RAMONA. Sky-blue.

90c each 4 for \$3.00, postpaid.

PANICULATA (Sweet Scented Japanese Clematis) (G). Finest small flowered Clematis. Rapid grower; flowers pure white, fragrant, and produced freely in immense clusters in September. A very desirable vine. 40c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid.

**DUTCHMAN'S PIPE** (G). Brownish flowers, resembling miniature pipes. An ideal vine for situations requiring dense shade; leaves deep green, very large, broad and closely laid. Our plants are grafted from blooming wood of selected specimens, assuring rapid growth and early blooming. 60c each; 3 for \$1.50, postpaid.

EUONYMUS, Vegetus. See page 93.

HONEYSUCKLE, Japonica Halleana (Hall's Japanese) (F or G). Flowers white, changing to yellow; extremely fragrant. 35c each; 3 for 90c, postpaid.

HONEYSUCKLE, Sempervirens (Scarlet Trumpet) (F or G). Trumpet-shaped flowers of bright scarlet; blooms nearly all summer. 35c each; 3 for 90c, postpaid.

CLIMBING HYDRANGEA. An attractive climber with broad, bright green foliage and large, flat clusters of fragrant white flowers in early summer. A rapid grower when once established and will cling to the wall like Ivy. Very scarce. Choice pot grown plants, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

IVY, English. See page 93.

MATRIMONY VINE (H or I). Handsome trailing vine, covered with scarlet fruit in autumn. Used quite extensively as a ground cover under trees and on terraces and steep slopes to hold the soil in place. 35c each; 3 for 90c, postpaid.

SILVER LACE VINE or CHINESE FLEECE VINE (Polygonum Auberti) (G or I). One of the fastest growing hardy vines in existence, making a dense growth to 25 feet high, sometimes in a single season. During late summer and fall the entire vine is covered with foamy sprays of white flowers. If you need a vine to produce quick results, Polygonum will best suit your purpose. 60c each; 3 for \$1.50, postpaid.

TRUMPET VINE (G). Very hardy and rapid grower. Used for covering unsightly places, stumps, or wherever a showy flowering vine is desired. Produces clusters of trumpet-shaped, orange-scarlet flowers about 3 inches long. If tops are kept cut back it makes a beautiful bush for the lawn. 30c each; 3 for 75c, postpaid.

#### Wistaria

CHINESE PURPLE (G or I). Strong, rapid grower, desirable for trellises, porches, etc. The light purple pea-shaped flowers are very showy, and are produced in drooping racemes a foot or more in length. A large vine in bloom is a beautiful sight. Many growers offer seedling plants that may never bloom. Our plants are all grafted from blooming wood and many of them will flower the first season they are set out. Perfectly hardy. 2-year-old, selected plants, 60c each; 3 for \$1.50, postpaid.

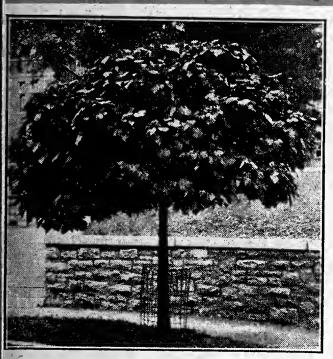
CHINESE WHITE. A white flowered form of above. Strong 2-year plants, 60c each; 3 for \$1.50, postpaid.

#### SURPLUS AFTER SEASON SALE

our selling season, we often have a surplus of several kinds of hardy climbing vines, and rather than carry the stock over, we hold a clearance sale beginning May 15th, and make up surplus collections at \$1.50 per collection. In these \$1.50 collections, we give several dollars' worth of vines. All must be strictly our selection. Orders accepted any time before May 15th, and delivery will be made as soon after May 15th as possible. If you have any unsightly places that could be improved in appearance by a few vines, and don't feel that you can afford to select the varieties at regular prices, order one or more of these collections.

# Ornamental and Shade Trees

Our list of trees includes the most popular and useful varieties for lawn adornment and street planting. Our large size trees are strictly high grade and will, we are sure, please the most critical buyer. You will notice that we also offer mailing size trees of most varieties, which enables our customers to get a nice lot of trees started at very little Quality considered, our prices are exceedingly low. expense.



Catalpa Bungeii (\$1.00 Each)

#### WEEPING BIRCH

CUT-LEAVED WEEPING. 40 feet. Its tall, slender, yet vigorous growth, graceful drooping habit, silvery white bark and delicately cut foliage present a combination of attractive characteristics rarely met with in a single tree. Very popular for single lawn specimens or groups of three or four trees; the white bark of trunk and twigs gleaming conspicuously among the darker greens and browns. 6 to 8 feet, \$2.00 each, not prepaid. 2 to 4 feet, \$1.50, postpaid.

PURPLE-LEAVED WEEPING. A magnificent ornamental shade tree, which is identical to that of the White Birch, except that the foliage is purplish-red instead of green. With its pure white bark and drooping branches, and its brilliantly colored foliage, it is without doubt the most elegant of all large trees. Grows 30 to 40 feet in height. It is a tree that is entirely hardy, and one or more planted among the

green-leaved trees presents a beautiful color contrast. The supply of this rare tree is very limited. We are fortunate in owning practically all the salable size stock in America, and can guarantee our trees to be the genuine. 4 to 6 feet, \$3.00; 6 to 8 feet, \$3.50, not prepaid. 3 to 4 feet, \$2.50 each, postpaid.

### Flowering Crabs

BECHTEL'S DOUBLE FLOWERING. 15 feet. A fine, small flowering tree which, when in bloom, presents the appearance of being covered with delicate pink roses, scenting the atmosphere for a long distance with a perfume surpassing the fragrance of the Tea Roses. The cut blossoms have often been taken for roses. The ideal lawn tree for the small yard. 3 to 1 feet, \$1.25; 4 to 6 feet, \$1.50, not prepaid. 1½ to 3 feet, Oc, postpaid.

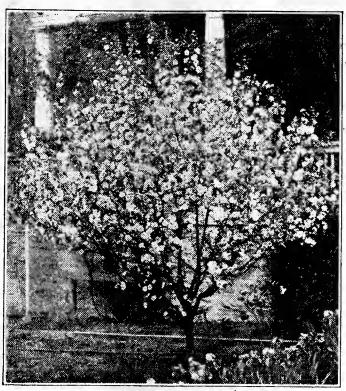
ELEYI. 15 feet. A beautiful variety of the popular flowering rab. The young shoots are fuzzy, with rich purplish-red collage rivaling the Japanese Maple. The flowers are of briliant red color and produced in large clusters like apple blossoms. In autumn the dark red edible fruits hang in pendant clusters. One of the most gorgeous of the small ornamental rees. .3 to 4 feet, 1.25; 4 to 6 feet, 1.50, not prepaid.  $1\frac{1}{2}$ o 3 feet, 90c, postpaid.

# Japanese Flowering Cherries

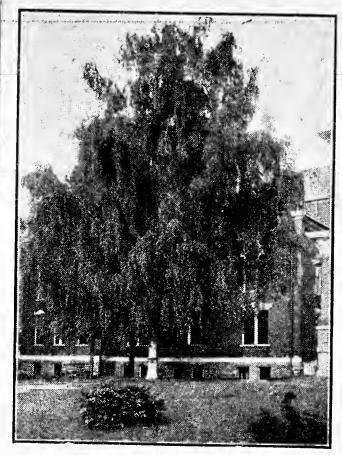
AILANTHUS (Tree of Heaven). 60 feet. An extremely rapid grower with brilliant green Tropical-like foliage. Thrives under the worst of city conditions, smoke, etc., and in soil where other trees would perish. 6 to 8 feet, \$1.25 each, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, 40c, postpaid.

#### MOUNTAIN ASH

25 feet. A medium-sized tree of unusual beauty, with fern-like leaves. The clusters of white flowers in spring are followed by large bunches of very ornamental, showy, red berries. In fall the foliage turns to beautiful orange and red colors. An exceptionally fine ornamental tree for the lawn. 8 to 10 feet, \$1.75 each, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, 40c, postpaid.



Bechtel's Double Flowering Crab



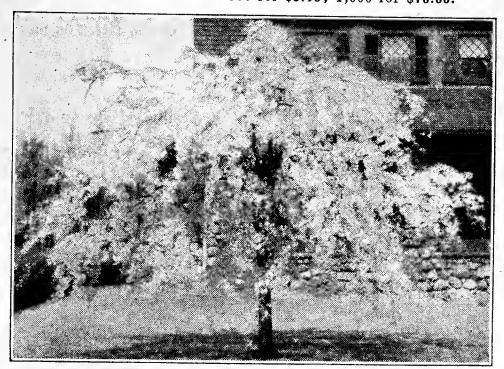
Cut-Leaved Weeping Birch (\$1.50 Each)

# Catalpa

BUNGEII (Umbrella Catalpa). 10 feet. Budded on straight, heavy stems, it makes an umbrella-shaped top without pruning. Flourishes in all soils and climates. Leaves large, heart-shaped, deep green, lying like shingles on a roof, always making a symmetrical head. Usually set in pairs on opposite sides of walk, entrance, etc. 5 to 6 feet, \$1.00 each, not prepaid.

SPECIOSA. 60 feet. A rapid growing shade tree. Large, heartshaped leaves. Large panicles of flowers; white, tinged violet, dotted purple and yellow. Grown extensively for fence posts, on account of rapid, straight growth and durability. Very ornamental. 6 to 8 feet, 70c; 8 to 10 feet, 90c, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, 40c, postpaid.

One year seedlings, for growing posts, 50 for \$1.25 or 100 for \$2.00, postpaid; by express, not prepaid, 300 for \$3.50; 1,000 for \$10.00.



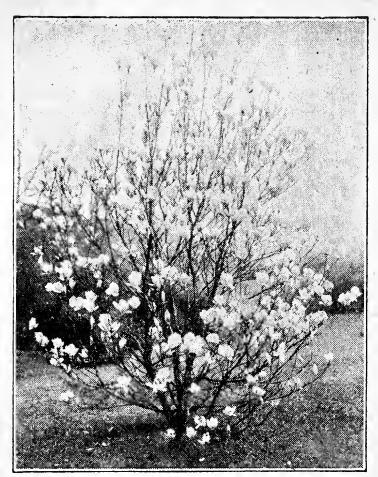
Japanese Weeping Cherry

DOUBLE PINK. 20 feet. A charming small tree with branches completely covered by a mass of large, double, blush-pink flowers in early spring. 4 to 6 feet, \$2.25, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, \$1.00, postpaid.

DOUBLE WHITE. 20 feet. One of the most beautiful of ornamental flowering trees. Large, double, white flowers in early spring. 4 to 6 feet, \$2.25 each, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, \$1.00, postpaid.

JAPANESE WEEPING. 12 feet. The finest of all weeping flowering trees. A mass of beautiful rose-colored blossoms in early pring giving the tree the appearance of being buried beneath a wealth of evaluating color and fragrance. 5 to 6 feet \$4.00 each

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Magnolia Soulangeana (\$3.75 Each)

#### Cornus (Dogwood)

FLORIDA (White Flowered Dogwood). Flowers white, 3 to  $3\frac{1}{2}$  inches in diameter, produced in spring before leaves appear; foliage grayish green, glossy and handsome; in the autumn turning to deep red, presenting a gorgeous spectacle. Trees grow 15 to 20 feet high. 2 to 3 feet, 90c; 3 to 4 feet, \$1.35, not prepaid.  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 feet, 60c each, postpaid.

FLORIDA RUBRA. Similar to above but with handsome red flowers. An attractive lawn specimen or group subject. 2 to 3 feet, \$2.50; 3 to 4 feet, \$3.50, not prepaid. 1 to 2 feet, \$1.50 each, postpaid.

#### Paul's Scarlet Hawthorn

The most popular variety of English Hawthorn. Flowers deep crimson-scarlet and very double; produced in great profusion late in spring. These are followed by showy red fruits and autumnal colorings

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of foliage. One of the most attractive small trees, attaining a height of about 15 feet. Will thrive even on the poorest soil; suitable for planting in groups or as a single specimen tree. 3 to 4 feet, \$1.50; 4 to 6 feet, \$2.00, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, \$1.00 each, postpaid.

# HORSE CHESTNUT 40 feet. An attractive flowering shade tree, being one of the first to cast a dense shade in May. Magnificent, hyacinth-like spikes of sweetly scented white flowers, standing stiffly erect in strong contrast to the rich dark green leaves. 3 to 4 feet, \$1.50; 4 to 6 feet, \$1.75; 6 to 8 feet, \$2.00, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, 75c, postpaid.

MAGNOLIA Soulangeana. A hardy variety and one of the finest of all Magnolias; beautiful, cup-shaped blossoms, 3 to 5 inches across, opening in the spring, before its large, glossy leaves appear. A most magnificent, medium-sized tree for the lawn, which, when in bloom, will attract more attention than anything else we know of. Pink or Purple, your choice of colors, 2 to 3 feet, \$5.75; 3 to 4 feet, \$7.25, not prepaid. 1½ to 2 feet, \$3.75, postpaid.

# Mulberries for Shade and Fruit

Save Your Berry Crops by Planting Mulberries for the Birds

Two Mulberry Trees are required for cross pollination in order to bear fruit. Two or more trees should be planted near each other unless there are others in the neighborhood.

RUSSIAN MULBERRY. An ideal shade tree; luxuriant foliage; clean and hardy everywhere; a rapid grower. Bears an abundant crop of edible fruits which resemble blackberries and are very sweet. A few Russian Mulberry trees will save your cherry crop as the birds prefer the Mulberries to cherries. 5 to 6 feet, 75c; 8 to 10 feet, \$1.75, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, 40c, postpaid.

**DOWNING MULBERRY.** One of the most prolific of all Mulberries; bears an abundance of jet black fruits of enormous size, much larger than those of the Russian variety and of better quality. Sweet, rich and delicious; ripe fruit every day for from 4 to 6 weeks. 5 to 6 feet, \$1.25, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, 85c, postpaid.

TEA'S WEEPING MULBERRY. The most graceful, small, hardy weeping tree. Forms a perfect round head with slender branches drooping to the ground. Admirably adapted for small grounds, specimens or for cemetery planting. 4 to 6 feet, \$2.00 each, not prepaid.

# Plant a CHINESE ELM This Spring The Most Rapid Growing of All Fine Shade Trees

ELM, Chinese. As beautiful as the American Elm and has the advantage of being a rapid grower. Grows as rapidly as the Cottonwood and the Poplars, and, being a tree without faults, is rapidly replacing other quick growing trees. The picture shown on this page is from a photograph taken 6 years after planting, the trunk of the tree measuring 34 inches in circumference 18 inches from the ground. If set at the same time as American Elms, the Chinese Elms will attain a height of 15 feet when the American Elms are growing only 5 feet. In other words, you need not wait 15 to 20 years for shade, as Chinese Elms will give luxurious shade in 5 to 6 years. With no other desirable tree can new homes enjoy the luxury of cool shade in such a short time. The Chinese Elm is a tree of rare beauty; has dense, dark green foliage; is the first shade tree to put out leaves in the spring and the last to shed them in the fall, adding 3 to 5 weeks to its usefulness. Thrives on either rich or poor soil, resists drought and cold, and makes a fine showing even if neglected. It succeeds in all parts of the United States, including both the cold and semi-arid regions, and thrives everywhere except on low, wet ground. Being resistant to alkali, it will thrive in the western plains where few other trees will survive. It has also proven successful at high altitudes. It is bound to take its place as one of the most popular lawn and street trees in America. Our stock is the Northern China strain: 6 to 8 feet, \$2.00; 8 to 10 feet, \$2.50; 10 to 12 feet, \$3.00, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, 50c each; 3 for \$1.25; 5 for \$2.00, postpaid.

Chinese Elm Hedge

The Chinese Elm makes a very desirable hedge or windbreak. Plant close together and allow the branches to grow low on the trunk.

#### American Elm

80 feet. One of our grandest shade trees. Unexcelled for planting near buildings, as its lofty branches permit air to circulate and grass to grow underneath. 8 to 10 feet, \$1.40 each, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, 40c, postpaid.



Chinese Elm (50c Each; 5 for \$2.00)



American White Elm (40c Each)

Cornus Florida (60c Each)

# MAPLES Guaranteed to Grow

ASH-LEAVED (Box Elder). 50 feet. A fine, rapid-growing variety. Succeeds in places where many other trees fail to grow. 8 to 10 feet, \$1.00 each, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, 40c, postpaid.

JAPANESE, Red-Leaved. This is the genuine Blood Red Japanese Maple, of dwarf habit, usually attaining a height of ten or twelve feet at maturity. The foliage is of the deepest rich blood red, sometimes turning to a greenish red or purple in extremely hot weather and turning red again in the fall. They are very graceful and may be treated as small trees or clumped like shrubbers, and are most graceful when planted in a property and are most graceful when planted in a property with bery, and are most gorgeous when planted in combination with evergreens or other green foliage plants. Select, well-branched plants, 15 to 18 inches high, \$4.00 each; 1½ to 2 feet, \$5.00 each; or 2 to 3 feet, \$8.00 each, not prepaid.

NORWAY. 60 feet. A large handsome tree; furnishes the densest shade of the entire list of good trees. Makes the roundest head, and is the most popular of the Maples. Deep green foliage. 6 to 8 feet, \$2.00; 8 to 10 feet, \$2.50; 10 to 12 feet, \$3.25, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, 80c, postpaid.

\*\*SCHWEDLER. 60 feet. Identical in habit of growth with the Norway Maple, but the foliage is bright wine-red in spring, purplish-green in midsummer, and golden-yellow in autumn. 6 to 8 feet, \$2.75; 8 to 10 feet, \$3.75; 10 to 12 feet, \$4.50, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, \$1.50, postpaid.

SILVER (Soft Maple). 60 feet. A fine, rapid-growing tree; leaves bright green above and silvery beneath, turning to red and orange in fall. 8 to 10 feet, 90c; 10 to 12 feet, \$1.25, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, 40c, postpaid.

WEIR'S CUT-LEAVED. 50 feet. The trunk is erect, but the limbs are pendulous, almost of the weeping form. The foliage is deeply cut. A most attractive, graceful tree. 6 to 8 feet, \$1.00; 8 to 10 feet, \$1.35, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, 65c, postpaid.

#### FLOWERING PEACH

Double Red or Double White. 20 feet. A beautiful tree. At its blossoming time in May every twig and branch is covered with bright, double flowers. Your choice of colors, 3 to 4 feet, \$1.00 each, not prepaid. 18 to 24 inches, 75c, postpaid.

#### FLOWERING PLUM

Purple Leaved Newport. A distinct and handsome little tree, rarely over 20 feet high. Foliage maroon-red that deepens in color as the season advances. Covered with a mass of small white fruits. spring, followed by edible fruits. Very handsome from early spring to late fall. A beautiful ornament to the lawn; fine for color massing or as a single specimen. 4 to 6 feet, \$1.00 each, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, 75c, postpaid.

#### ROSE TREE OF CHINA

(Prunus Triloba). One of the most beautiful and showy of all small trees. It begins to bloom before the leaves appear in the spring, being literally covered with very double rose-like pink flowers. This symmetrically formed, graceful little tree grows usually to a height of but 8 feet, and is attractive as a specimen or when planted in groups or shrub border. It is hardy and easily grown, and no lawn is so small that room cannot be found for at least one of these wonderful trees. Many who have seen it declare it to be the most beautiful tree they have ever seen. The rose-like blossoms make fine cut flowers. 3 to 4 feet, \$1.25 each, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, \$1.00, postpaid.

**TULIP TREE** rapid - growing tree of unusual beauty. Flowers appear in June and resemble large yellow tulips.

Lombardy Poplars (40c Each)

Beautiful, glossy leaves which, in fall, turn to brightest yellow. Makes a wonderful specimen tree for any lawn. 4 to 6 feet, \$1.50; 6 to 8 feet, \$2.00; 8 to 10 feet, \$2.50, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, 40c, postpaid.

#### Japanese Maidenhair Tree

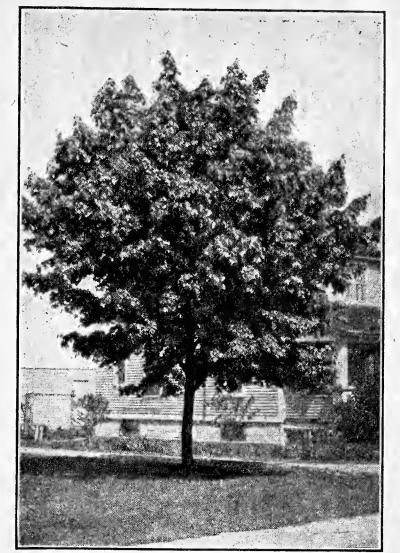
(Ginkgo Biloba). Tall narrow tree, especially suited for street and lawn lutely free from disease and insects. The dark green fan-shaped leaves resemble those of the Maidenhair Fern, from which it receives its name. 5 to 6 feet, \$2.00, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, \$1.00, postpaid.

### Willows

WISCONSIN WEEPING. 35 feet. A graceful tree of large size; one of the finest, if not the finest of all large weeping trees. Long, slender, wavy, drooping branches and narrow green leaves. A rapid grower, and thrives in either moist or dry ground. 6 to 8 feet, \$1.00; 8 to 10 feet, \$1.50, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, 40c, postpaid.

GOLDEN. 35 feet. Very showy variety with golden bark of high color; very conspicuous in winter. 6 to 8 feet, \$1.00; 8 to 10 feet, \$1.50, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet,

40c, postpaid.



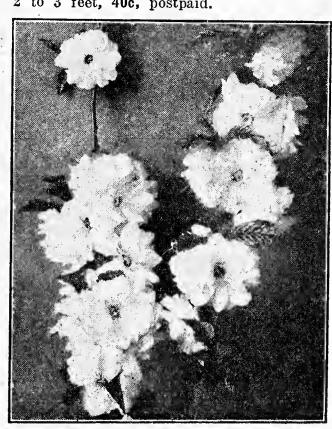
Schwedler Maple (\$1.50 Each)

#### **POPLARS**

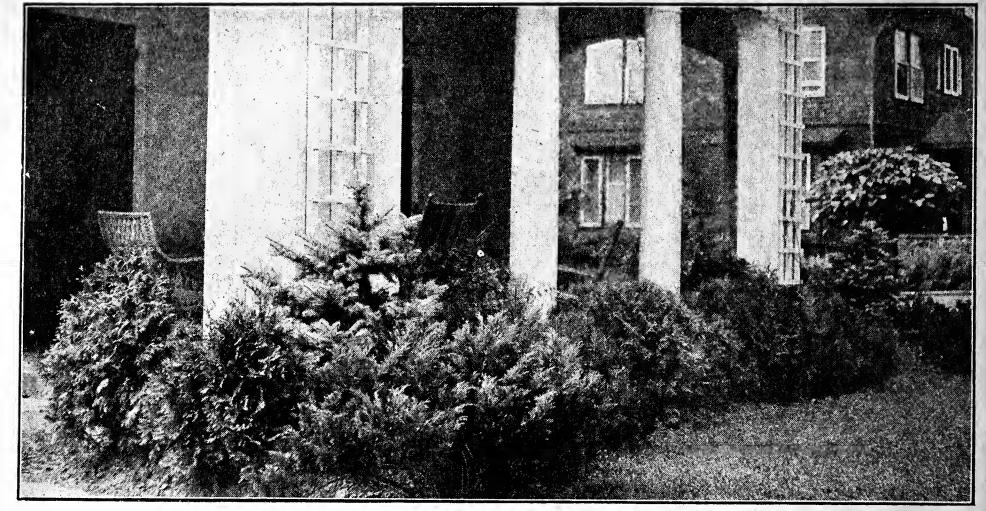
CAROLINA. A most rapid grower; succeeds everywhere. Bright green glossy foliage; pyramidal in shape, but makes a fine spreading head if cut back the first few seasons. 6 to 8 feet, 50c; 8 to 10 feet, 70c; 10 to 12 feet, \$1.00, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, 40c, postpaid.

LOMBARDY. A tall, picturesque tree of slender, upright growth; used in formal gardens, and for landscape effect; can be planted very close together to screen unsightly views and buildings. A hardy, rapid grower. 6 to 8 feet, 75c; 8 to 10 feet, \$1.00; 10 to 12 feet, \$1.25, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, 40c, postpaid.

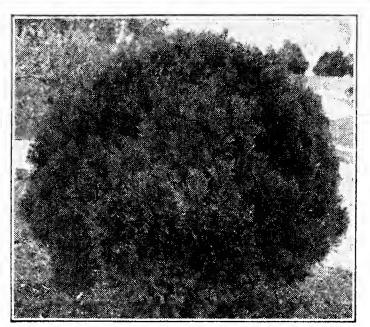
RED BUD (Judas Tree). A very ornamental tree of medium size, with perfect heart-shaped leaves. Blooms early in spring, before the leaves appear, covering the branches with small rosy-purple, pea-shaped flowers. 3 to 4 feet, \$1.00; 4 to 6 feet, \$1.50, not prepaid. 2 to 3 feet, 40c, postpaid.



Rose Tree of China (\$1.00 Each)



Foundation Planting of Evergreens



Globe Arbor Vitae (60c Each)

# **EVERGREEN TREES**

Our Evergreens are all carefully grown, and have been given the best of care under the supervision of specialists who understand growing Evergreens in such a manner as to insure their being transplanted successfully to new homes with ordinary care.

All our Evergreen Trees, except the mailing sizes, are dug with ball of earth about the roots and tightly sewed in burlap. Mailing size trees are packed in damp moss. Do not compare our select mailing size Evergreens with the inferior seedlings that are being offered by a few advertisers at ridiculously low prices, and which will die after you get them. Not only are our Evergreens grown right, but we take great care in digging and packing, and we deliver them to all parts of the United States in good growing condition. Mailing size plants are sent postpaid at the prices given; larger sizes have to be sent by express or freight.

PLANTING SEASON for spring, April 1st to May 20th; for fall, August 15th to October 15th, depending on season and locality. Evergreens can not be safely carried through the winter in storage like other trees, so can not be shipped until the frost is out of the ground in the spring. Some Southern planters have the mistaken idea that they should set out Evergreens earlier than the Northern planting season. Regardless of your climate, Evergreens should, for best results, be set out at the time the plants are in the proper transplanting condition. The proper transplanting condition depends on the climate where the trees are grown,

not where they are to be planted. Our hardy, Northern grown Evergreens are the best for planting in either the North or South. Send your order early. We will ship at the proper time for planting our Northern grown Evergreens in your locality.

Figures following variety names indicate approximately the height of the plant when approaching

maturity. Grouping close together will have a tendency to keep them from growing large. The tall growing varieties can also be kept smaller by trimming.



American Arbor Vitae

#### ARBOR VITAE · (Thuya)

AMERICAN (White Cedar.) 30 feet. Erect, broadly pyramidal habit; flat, beautifully carved, bright green foliage, dense from ground up; grows rapidly and soon forms a most beautiful tree for any purpose. Usually seen as a tree 5 to 10 feet high and half as wide, but will grow to be a large tree. Used extensively as single specimens, for foundation planting, screens and windbreaks, and heads the list for Evergreen hedge planting. Specimen plants, 3 to 4 feet, \$2.50; 2½ to 3 feet, \$2.00; 2 to 2½ feet, \$1.50; 1½ to 2 feet, \$1.00, not prepaid. Mailing size, 12 to 18 inches, 4-year-old, twice-transplanted trees, 50c each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.

GLOBE (Woodward's). 6 feet. A compact, round ball; bright green foliage. The neat globular outline adapts this Arbor Vitae for formal plantings, tub and window box use, as well as in

(50c Each) the foreground of Evergreen groups. 1½ to 2 feet, \$2.00; 12 to 18 inches, 90c, not prepaid. Mailing size, 8 to 12 inches, 5-year-old, three times transplanted trees, 60c each; 3 for \$1.50, postpaid. GOLDEN (Douglas). 15 feet. Foliage of a very showy, golden yellow. Used extensively in landscape plantings, for there is nothing quite so attractive in a group of Evergreens as a flash of rich golden yellow. 2 to 2½ feet, \$2.00; 1½ to 2 feet, \$1.50, not prepaid. Mailing size, 12 to 18 inches, 4-year-old, three times transplanted trees, 50c each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.



Golden Arbor Vitae (50c Each)

### ARBOR VITAE—continued

Oriental or Chinese. 15 feet. A pyramidal growing Evergreen that is most valuable in group planting. Foliage light, lustrous green; color changing in winter to rich bronze with reddish tinge. 3 to 4 feet, \$2.25; 2½ to 3 feet, \$2.75; 2 to 2½ feet, \$1.75; 1½ to 2 feet, \$1.00, not prepaid. Mailing size, 12 to 18 inches, twice transplanted 4-year-old trees, 60c each; 3 for \$1.50, postpaid.

Pyramidal Arbor Vitae (75c Each)



Irish Juniper (75c Each)

PYRAMIDAL. 20 feet. A densely columnar type, similar in shape to Irish Juniper, averaging only 24 to 30 inches in diameter when 12 feet high. Foliage deep green, retaining its color throughout the season. 3 to 4 feet, \$4.00; 2½ to 3 feet, \$2.75; 2 to 2½ feet, \$1.75; 1½ to 2 feet, \$1.00, not prepaid. Mailing size, 12 to 18 inches, twice transplanted, 4-year-old trees, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

SIBERIAN (Ware's). 6 to 8 feet. A superb hardy variety. It is conical in outline and covered with dark steel grayish green foliage which is somewhat different from the American Arbor Vitae, being much heavier and deeply crested; of compact habit; branches short and stiff; bears trimming well. It is extensively used for foundation planting. The name Siberian has been given it because of its rugged constitution. 2 to 3 feet, \$1.75; 1½ to 2 feet, \$1.00, not prepaid. Mailing size, 12 to 18 inches, twice transplanted, 4-year-old trees, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

TOM THUMB (Occidentalis Ellwangeriana). A very small, compact ever-

green of true dwarf habit, with very fine feathery foliage of bright green during summer, turning to bronze in winter. It is an ideal tree for planting among perennials, in rock gardens or in any situation where a choice close-growing dwarf tree is desired. Makes a beautiful ornament for a small yard or cemetery lot. 12 to 18 inch spread, 90c, not prepaid. Mailing size, 8 to 12 inches, three times transplanted, 4-year-old trees, 40c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid.



AMERICAN. 50 feet. A magnificent native tree. Makes a splendid lawn specimen, with a certain elegance and beauty that its slender, graceful, drooping branches alone possess. Rich dark green foliage with under side of leaves of sea-green color. Hemlocks succeed well in almost any soil, but prefer mostly a good loam that is moist rather than too dry. Will, perhaps, succeed in a more shady situation than any other evergreen. Hemlocks withstand shearing so well and become Hemlocks withstand shearing so well and become so dense and compact when subjected to that treatment that they may be used wherever a small tree is wanted or in hedges, and are especially recommended for foundation groups. 2 to 2½ feet, \$2.00; 1½ to 2 feet, \$1.25, not prepaid. Mailing size, 12 to 18 inches, three times transplanted, 6-year-old trees, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

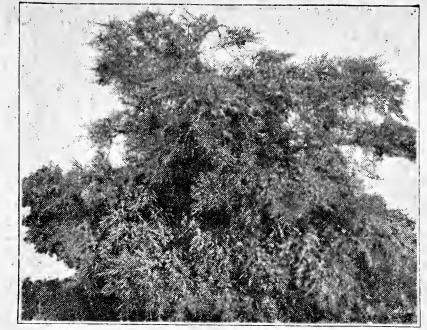
#### **JUNIPER**

IRISH. 8 feet. Foliage bluish-green. Very dense and upright habit. Fine for columnar effect in landscape work. 3 to 4 feet, \$2.50: 2½ to 3 feet, \$1.75; 2 to 2½ feet, \$1.25; 1½ to 2 feet, 90c, not prepaid. Mailing size, 12 to 18 inches, three times transplanted, 4-year-old trees, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

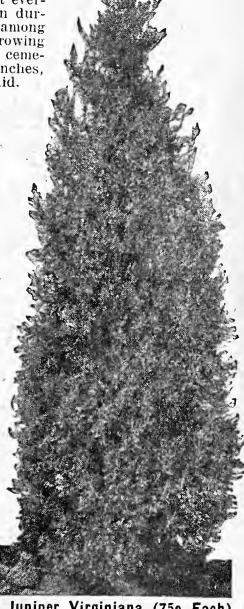
PFITZERIANA. 5 feet. Vase-shaped, spreading growth and light bluish-green foliage producing a beautiful, soft effect. Extremely hardy, tolerant to city conditions and succeeds in either shade or full exposure of the sun. Excellent for foundation plantings. 21/2 to 3 feet spread, \$3.00; 2 to 2½ feet spread, \$2.00; 1½ to 2 feet spread, \$1.25, not prepaid. Mailing size, 10 to 15 inch spread, three times transplanted, 4-year-old trees, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

VIRGINIANA (Red Cedar). 25 feet. Form tapering, symmetrical. Foliage varies from light green to dark green, grayish green and

bluish green; color good at all Juniper Virginiana (75c Each) times, but its bronzy appearance in fall and early winter is very attractive. Thrives well on poor soil. 3 to 4 feet, \$3.25; 2½ to 3 feet, \$2.25; 2 to 2½ feet, \$1.50; 1½ to 2 feet, \$1.00, not prepaid. Mailing size, 12 to 18 inches, three times transplanted, 4-year-old trees, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

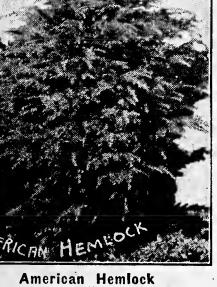


Juniper Pfitzeriana (75c Each)



# Bargains in Small Size Evergree

The mailing size Evergreens described on pages 108, 109, 110 and 111 are twice and three times transplanted, fieldgrown stock, 3 to 6 years old, and just the right size for borders, rock gardens, window boxes, and lining out in the garden for growing large trees. In four or five year's they will grow into \$4.00 and \$5.00 trees. We can deliver these trees anywhere in the United States, by parcel post or express, prepaid, at the low prices given. Select the varieties you want at these prices, and don't forget that we will deliver them to you prepaid.



(75c Each)



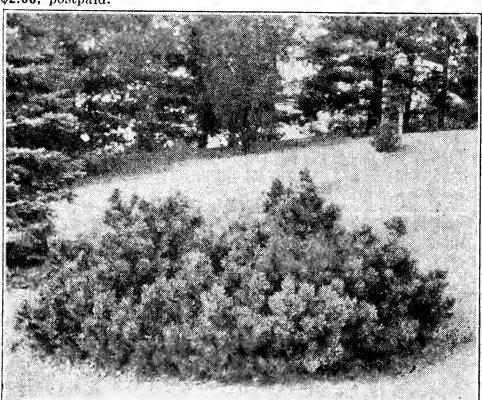
Austrian Pine (75c Each)

# Scotch Pine

50 feet. A big, broad-shouldered tree highly resistant to wind, drought and cold. Thrives well on the poorest soil, grows rapidly when young, and is one of the best Evergreens to withstand extreme exposure and unfavorable conditions. It is an attractive tree, with slender, dark green needles; makes a quick and attractive windbreak. It is a handsome tree in its prime, and is used considerably by landscape men in ornamental plantings. 3 to 4 feet, \$2.50; 2½ to 3 feet, \$2.00; 2 to 2½ feet, \$1.50; 1½ to 2 feet, \$1.00, not prepaid. Mailing size, 12 to 18 inches, twice transplanted, 3-year-old trees, 60c each; 3 for \$1.50, postpaid.

# Mugho Pine

The Mugho or Dwarf Pine never grows over 4 to 5 feet tall, but spreads out 6 or 8 feet in diameter when fully grown. By annual shearing it can be kept as small as desired. The color is deep green in summer and winter. Popular in the foreground of foundation plantings. Will grow in almost any location. 1½ to 2 feet spread, \$2.75; 15 to 18 inch spread, \$1.75, not prepaid. Mailing size, 6 to 12 inch spread, twice transplanted, 4-year-old trees, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.



Mugho Pine (75c Each)

# Austrian Pine

40 feet. Large, spreading tree, heavily needled; darkest and richest green of the Pines. Quite densely and evenly branched; attractive tufts of foliage, the new growth erect, and silvery like candles set along the twigs. Coal gas and smoky atmospheres have no effect on its growth. It is equally satisfactory for seashore planting and for the inland country. Must be used only in locations allowing tall growth and considerable spread.  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 feet, \$1.00, not prepaid. Mailing size, 12 to 18 inches, twice transplanted, 4-year-old trees, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.



Plumy Cypress (75c Each)



Scotch Pine (60c Each)

#### Plumy Cypress

(Japanese Retinospora)

Plumosa. A handsome Evergreen from Japan, with feathery, light green foliage, more beautiful than any fern. It grows into a large tree, but may be kept small by trimming, and can be trimmed into any desired form. It is particularly adapted for terrace borders and grouping about foundations. 2 to 2½ feet, \$2.00; 1½ to 2 feet, \$1.00, not prepaid. Mailing size, 12 to 18 inches, three times transplanted, 4-year-old trees, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

Plumosa Aurea (Golden Plumed Cypress). Same as above, except that the soft plume-like foliage has a decided tinge of yellow throughout the year, making a beautiful contrast to the green grass and surrounding Evergreens. One of the most popular of the golden Evergreens and suitable for almost any situation. Mailing size only, 12 to 18 inches, three times transplanted, 4-year-old trees, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00. postpaid.

# Evergreens for Hedges

Evergreens are being used more each year for hedges and windbreaks. They remain green through the year and require less trimming than shrub hedges. For a tall informal hedge or windbreak nothing finer can be selected than Colorado Spruce or American Hemlock. For a low hedge we recommend Globe or Tom Thumb Arbor Vitae. The Tom Thumb variety can also be trimmed low and used as an evergreen border plant.

The low prices on Evergreens this year make it an ideal time to plant a hedge. For a low hedge, plant dwarf varieties about 18 inches apart. For medium height, plant tall varieties from 15 to 20 inches apart. For a tall hedge, plant 2 to 3 feet apart. For windbreaks, plant 10 to 15 feet apart.

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Arbor Vitae, American, 12/18"\$2	2.50	\$5.00	\$18.00
Arbor Vitae, Golden, 12/18"	1.50	3.00	10.00
Arbor Vitae, Globe, 8/12"	2.75	5.50	20.00
Arbor Vitae, Tom Thumb, 8/12" 1		3.00	10.00
Hemlock, American, 12/18"	2.25	4.50	16.00
Juniper Virginiana, 12/18" 2	2.50	5.00	18.00
Pine, Austrian, 12/18"	2.50	5.00	18.00
Pine, Scotch, 12/18" 2	2.50	5.00	18.00
Spruce, Colorado (Common), 12/18" 2	2.00	4.00	14.00
Spruce, Norway, 12/18"	2.25	4.50	16.00

The above prices are for shipment by express, not prepaid. For postpaid prices and for smaller quantities see descriptive list of Evergreens.

FIR (Abies)

BALSAMEA (Balsam Fir). 60 feet. A handsome and most desirable tall Evergreen of slender, pyramidal shape; dark green foliage; a rapid grower and very hardy. 2 to 2½ feet, \$2.75; 1½ to 2 feet, \$1.50, not prepaid. Mailing size, 8 to 12 inches, twice transplanted, 4-year-old trees, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

SPRUCE
COLORADO BLUE (SELECTED). 30 feet. A wonderful ornamental tree of glistening silvery blue. Perfection in form and symmetry, and hardy characteristics make it adaptable to nearly all climates. It can be used very effectively when planted individually, in groups by itself, or in groups with other Evergreens. 3 to 4 feet, \$10.00; 2½ to 3 feet, \$7.00; 2 to 2½ feet, \$4.00; 1½ to 2 feet, \$3.00, not prepaid. Mailing size, 12 to 18 inches, three times transplanted, 5-year-old trees, \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.00, postpaid.



Balsam Fir (75c Each)

COLORADO BLUE (Common). 30 feet. This is the variety from which the famous Blue Spruce originated. A vigorous grower of pyramidal form. The color varies from light green to blue green.
Many of the young trees, when
they get older, will develop a decided blue cast. 2 to 2½ feet, \$2.00; 1½ to 2 feet, \$1.50, not prepaid. Mailing size, 12 to 18 inches, three times transplanted, 5-year-old trees, 50c each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.

#### KOSTER'S BLUE.

30 feet. The aristocrat of the Evergreen family and the best blue foliaged variety known. It retains its true blue color longer than any other variety.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 feet, \$11.00; 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet, \$8.50;  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 feet, \$6.50; 15 to 18 inches, \$5.00, not prepaid. No mailing size trees to offer mailing size trees to offer.

NORWAY. 50 feet. The most common Spruce; a large, bright green, fine looking tree. The most popular tree for windbreaks; extensively used for Christmas trees, hedges and land-scape purposes. 2½ to 3 feet, \$2.00; 2 to 2½ feet, \$1.25; 1½ to 2 feet, 90c, not prepaid. Mailing size, 12 to 18 inches, twice transplanted, 4-year-old trees, 50c each, 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.



Siberian Arbor Vitae and Colorado Blue Spruce

# **JAPANESE YEW**

(Taxus Cuspidata). 3 to 4 feet. A handsome dwarf Evergreen of upright growth, semi-spreading and compact. One of the best Evergreens for fore-ground and edging, and splendid for partial shade. Beautiful dark green foliage and very ornamental bright scarlet berries. Mailing size, 8 to 12 inches, three times transplanted, 4-year-old trees, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

# Plant a Living Christmas Tree

A practice, well worth encouraging, is that of planting an Evergreen in the front yard not only for general decorative effect but also for special use during Christmas Season. An Evergreen decorated with colored lights is an especially pleasing sight and vividly enhances the Christmas spirit. A drive through the residential sections of nearly any city during the evenings of the holiday season will forcibly convince you of the advantages of such a planting. We recommend Norway Spruce, Colorado Spruce and Balsam Fir for this purpose.

### 5 Choice Evergreens \$2.00

I Golden Arbor Vitae (12 to 18 inches); I Globe Arbor Vitae (8 to 12 inches); I Tom Thumb Arbor Vitae (8 to 12 inches); I American Hemlock (12 to 18 inches); and I Colorado Spruce (12 to 18 inches), all five for \$2.00, by express, not prepaid; or by parcel post, postpaid, for \$2.50.

Nothing will add more to the appearance of your home and surroundings than a planting of Evergreens. Fresh dug and sold under the binding guarantee shown on page one of this catalog.

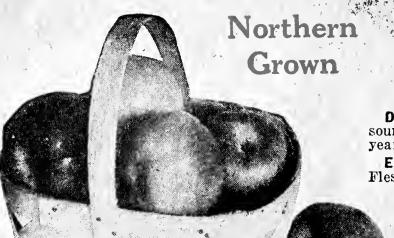
# 3 Tom Thumb Arbor Vitaes for \$1.00

For Description See Page 109



Japanese Yew (75c Each)

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# APPLES

#### SUMMER APPLES

DUCHESS OF OLDENBURG. Good size, pale yellow, streaked red; julcy, sour; highly esteemed for home use or market. Good crop when trees are 4 or 5 years old. August and September.

EARLY HARVEST. Fruit of medium size; bright straw color when fully ripe. Flesh of excellent quality; tender, crisp and juicy. July and August.

RED ASTRACHAN. Most attractive early red apple. Flesh white, crisp and juicy, with a pleasant acid flavor. One of the best early eating apples. Ripens in July and keeps until September.

SWEET BOUGH. A large, pale, greenish-yellow, sweet apple of excellent quality. Should be in every home orchard. July and August.

YELLOW TRANSPARENT. The earliest apple to bear; good crop when trees are four to five years of age. Skin pale yellow. Flesh white, crisp, juicy, mildly sub-acid. An excellent eating and cooking apple. Ripens in July and continues in season until September.

#### FALL APPLES

FALL PIPPIN. Large, yellow, rich, aromatic and very juicy. Fine eating and especially good for cooking. September to December.

MAIDEN BLUSH. Yellow with red cheek. Fruit medium to large; juicy, pleasantly subacid. Excellent for culinary use. September to November.

RAMBO. Medium size; yellow, streaked red. Fine apple that does well nearly everywhere. October and November.

SNOW APPLE (Fameuse). Red skin, white flesh; juicy, mild, spicy and very tender. October to December.

WEALTHY. Rich dark red. Medium to large. Flesh white, sometimes stained with red. Fine grained, tender, juicy and of excellent quality. Trees mature early; bear when 4 years old and large crops every year. September to November.



BALDWIN. Large, bright red, crisp, juicy, rich; a splendid keeper, good cooker, and one of the most popular varieties. November to April.

CORTLAND. A new variety that is gaining favor rapidly. Claimed to be an improved McIntosh. The fruits are larger than that of McIntosh, round, of a beautiful rich red color; juicy and sprightly in flavor. Better than McIntosh, because the fruits hang tenaciously to the tree and are two to three weeks later. Cortland apple trees are very thrifty and fast growers; bear the third and fourth year after planting—a money crop the sixth year. November to Fobruary. ber to February.

DELICIOUS. Large; nearly covered with brilliant dark red. Flesh fine grained, tender, crisp and juicy. Mild in flavor, but not a sweet apple. Has a decided aroma which is very pleasing. A splendid keeper, and an ideal apple for the fancy or box trade. The tree is hardy, vigorous and productive. Bears about the fourth year. In season from November with Mar.

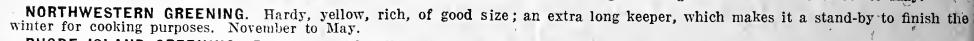
GRIMES GOLDEN. Rich, golden yellow skin, mild sub-acid flavor, tender and juicy. A dependable and uniform bearer. November to February.

JONATHAN. A beautiful bright red apple; medium size. Is much in demand as a fancy apple. Tender, crisp, very juicy, with a fine flavor. Comes into bearing rather young. November to February.

KING. Large and attractive fruits of a beautiful red color; tender, juicy, sub-acid; spicy smelling. October to February.

McINTOSH. Medium size, deep crimson, highest quality, juicy, sprightly sub-acid in flavor, with a characteristic aroma. Due to its high quality and attractive appearance, it commands a ready sale at fancy prices. Comes into bearing about the fourth year and is a reliable cropper. October to January.

NORTHERN SPY. Large, red striped, juicy, mild sub-acid, with a rich, delicious flavor. Extra long keeper. None better for cooking or eating out of hand. November to May.



RHODE ISLAND GREENING. Large, greenish-yellow, juicy, with a rich acid flavor. Good keeper. One of the best cooking apples. October to February.

ROX RUSSET. The most popular russet apple; russet-brown skin; a remarkable keeper, commanding good prices in the spring. December to June.

STAYMAN'S WINESAP. Large; deep red skin; juicy, sour, pleasing flavor. Comes into bearing about the fourth year and is a reliable annual cropper. In season from December to May.

TOLMAN SWEET. The best winter sweet apple. Yellow, medium to large. Comes into bearing moderately young. October to January.

WAGNER. Fruit medium to large, bright red in color, having a fine texture, high flavor, and excellent quality. Good for cooking, but especially prized for dessert. Trees begin bearing when young, and are dependable bearers every year. Recommended as a filler between longer lived varieties. October to March.

WINTER BANANA. Large; clear pale yellow with beautiful pinkish red blush. Good dessert quality, but too mild to excel for culinary uses. Comes into bearing young. November to April.

WOLF RIVER. Fruits of enormous size; yellow, blushed with red. It has a mild subacid. with a spicy, slight quince-like flavor; juicy and pleasant to taste; flesh white and tender. October to January.

#### CRAB APPLES

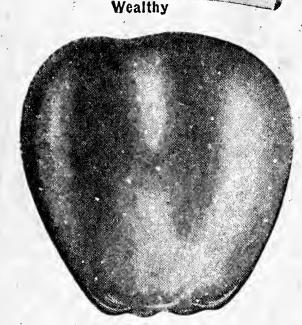
HYSLOP. Brilliant dark red overspread with thick blue bloom. The best and most ... reliable crab apple.



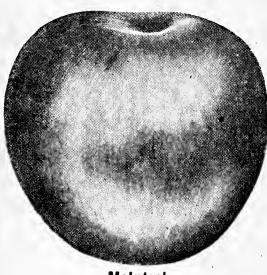
Select the varieties you want at the iow prices

Thrifty, 2-year-old, Northern grown stock, 4 to 6 feet in height and heav? ily branched, by express or freight, not prepaid, at 45c each; 3 for \$1.20; 5 or more at 35c each; 10 or more at 30c each; 20 or more at 25c each; 50 or more at 20c each; or 100 or more at 18c each.

2 to 3 foot size, by parcel post, postpaid, 45c each; 3 for \$1.20. In larger lots, by express or freight, not prepaid, 5 or more at 20c each; 10 or more at 16c each; 20 or more at 14c each; 50 or more at 12c each; or 100 or more at 10c each.

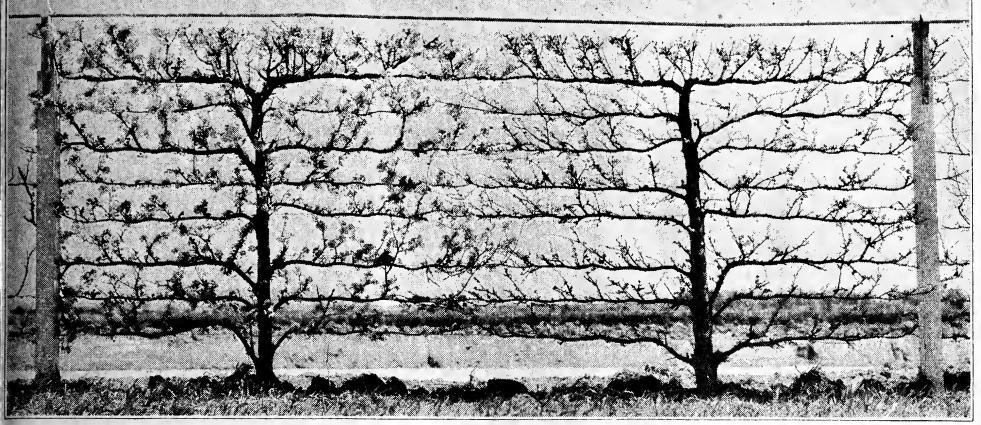


Delicious



McIntosh

# Guaranteed Trees at Bargain Prices



Two Dwarf Fruit Trees Trained in Formal Style

By pruning, the Dwarf Apple and Dwarf Pear Trees can easily be trained to grow into interesting shapes, such as pyramidal, round or flat, against buildings, fences or walls, for hedges, or on lattice like the illustration shown above. An abundance of best quality fruit can be secured in very little space, and the small trees be made to serve both as producers of choice fruit and attractive ornaments for the lawn. Nearly everyone can find room to grow a few dwarf trees in the shape of trellised foundation plantings along the side or rear of the house, and in other ways that their flexible manner of growth might suggest. A wonderful picture is one where the walls are embellished with these interesting trees which in the spring produce their bountiful blooms followed by their foliage and highly colored fruit.

#### **DWARF APPLES**

Dwarf Apple Trees solve the problem of fruit growing in small areas. They are very ornamental for the lawn and garden, come into bearing much earlier than the standard trees and are very productive. The trees never get over 6 or 8 feet high. Their low, broad heads are within reach, so that the fruit can be easily picked. These trees are set 6 to 8 feet apart and take up so little room that they can be planted in places where it would be impossible to grow a larger tree. With care, they usually commence to bear the second year after planting, and will bear good crops within three or four years. Our dwarf trees bear 4 to 6 bushels of apples per tree, and the fruit is of the same size and flavor as that borne on the standard trees.

All varieties of Apples listed on page 112 can be supplied in Dwarf Trees.

Large, 2-year-old Dwarf Trees, about 4 feet high, by express, not prepaid, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 5 for \$3.00, 10 or more at 50c each, or 25 or more at 40c each.

1-year-old, 2 to 3 foot size, by parcel post, postpaid, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00. In larger lots, by express or freight, not prepaid, 5 or more at 35c each; 10 or more at 30c each, or 25 or more at 25c each.

#### **PEARS**

ANJOU. Fruit large, yellow, often flushed red. An excellent market variety because of long keeping qualities. Rich in flavor, bears early and disease resistant.

pellow with reddish blush on the sunny side. Flesh tender, melting and juicy, with a delicious flavor. Tree vigorous; bears abundantly. Ripens in September.

BUERRE BOSC. Without doubt the highest quality and best flavored pear of all. Fruits' very large, with a long, thin, tapering neck. Beautiful golden russet color. Flesh fine-grained, juicy and melting, very delicious and highly flavored. Ripens late September and early October.

CLAPP'S FAVORITE. Resembles Bartlett in size, shape and color. Flesh fine grained and very juicy. Ripens in August, about ten days ahead of Bartlett. FLEMISH BEAUTY. Tree vigorous and productive; fruit large, yellow, covered

FLEMISH BEAUTY. Tree vigorous and productive; fruit large, yellow, covered with dull russet red; flesh juicy, melting, aromatic, rich and sweet. Ripens a few days later than Bartlett.

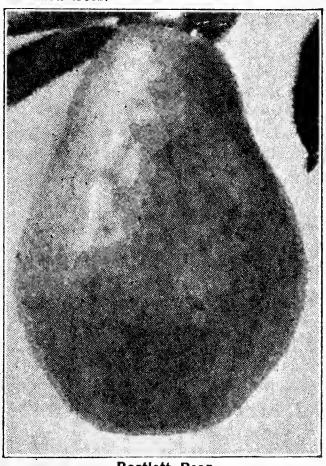
KIEFFER. A profitable market variety on account of its productiveness and excellent keeping and shipping qualities. While only fair in quality, it is an excellent canner and is in great demand for this purpose. Large, handsome fruits. The most free from insects and disease of any variety. October to December.

SEKEL. Small size and rich flavor makes this pear a desirable variety for pickling and preserving. Sweetest of all pears, juicy, delicious flavor, and greatly prized for eating out of hand. Very attractive in appearance, being of a russet-yellow color, with a bright red cheek. Very prolific. September and October.

SHELDON. A pear of unusually good quality. Large, round, greenish-yellow in color, covered with a light russet. Very juicy and highly flavored. A good bearer and highly recommended for the home orchard. October and November.

#### DWARF PEARS

Dwarf Trees bear large, full-sized fruit the same as standard trees, and usually come into bearing the second year. We can supply all varieties of Pears in either dwarf or standard trees.



Bartlett Pear

#### Prices of Pear Trees

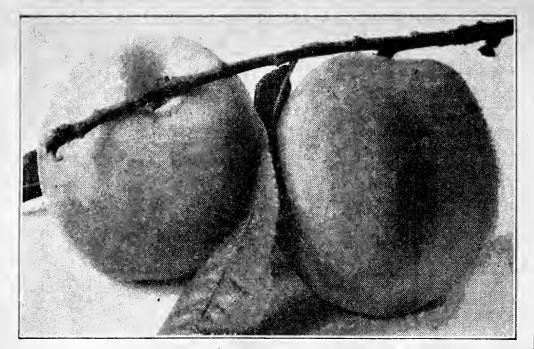
Large, 2-year old Standard Trees, 4 to 6 feet, by express or freight, not prepaid, 60c each; 3 for \$1.50; 5 for \$2.00; 10 or more at 35c each; 20 or more at 30c each; 50 or more at 27c each; or 100 or more at 24c each.

1-year-old Standard Trees, 2 to 3 feet, by parcel post, postpaid, 60c each; 3 for \$1.50. In larger lots, by express or freight, not prepaid, 5 or more at 25c each; 10 or more at 20c each; 20 or more at 18c each; 50 or more at 16c each; or 100 or more at 14c each

more at 14c each.

Large, 2-year-old Dwarf Trees, by express or freight, not prepaid, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 5 for \$3.00; 10 or more at 50c each; or 25 or more at

1-year-old Dwarf Trees, 2 to 3 feet, by parcel post, postpaid, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00. In larger lots, by express or freight, not prepaid, 5 or more at 35c each; 10 or more at 30c each; or 25 or more at 25c each.



Elberta Peach

# PEACHES 9 CENTS TO 40c EACH

We have picked out what we consider to be the best varieties of Peaches—those that have proven their worth under the most unfavorable conditions and in all soils and climates. If you will limit your planting to these varieties you will be making no mistake.

BELLE OF GEORGIA. Very large, white fleshed with red cheek; firm, juicy and excellent flavor. Very hardy and grows with equal success in both North and South. Productive; early; stone semi-free to free. The most beautiful white peach grown.

CARMAN. One of the Carman's greatest assets is its rugged constitution which enables it to withstand trying climates, and to accommodate itself to a great variety of soils. Flesh white, red at the pit, juicy, rich and sweet. Stone nearly free. Early.

CRAWFORD EARLY. A magnificent, large, yellow, early, freestone peach of unsurpassed quality. Fruit very large, goldenyellow, blushed with dark red.

CRAWFORD LATE. A grand, large, yellow freestone. One of the best late varieties.

ELBERTA. The most popular peach grown. Large, yellow with red cheek; flesh yellow, firm, juicy, highly flavored, rich and sweet; exceedingly prolific, sure bearer and hardy. An ideal mid-season variety. Free stone.

GOLD DROP. Tree remarkably hardy and productive; fruit medium size, smooth, transparent golden skin with slight blush; flesh golden yellow with sweet, rich apricot flavor; stone free.

HALE. Beautiful golden yellow overlaid with bright carmine; larger than Elberta and ripens a week earlier. Good shipper and keeper, and on the market it commands the highest price. Free-stone

KALAMAZOO. A beautiful peach that will bear good crops of fruit when all other varieties fail. The surest cropper of them all, and very hardy. Large, golden yellow with crimson cheek; yellow flesh, superb quality, small pit. Mid-season: Freestone.

LEMON FREE. Lemon-shaped and colored, large size, free-stone, immensely productive, excellent quality. One of the best commercial peaches and the most popular for canning. Late.

ROCHESTER. In a class by itself because it is the only good sized yellow freestone peach of fine quality ready for market from the 10th to the middle of August in the Northern States. Large, yellow with a most attractive red blush; juicy, delicious and keeps well. Strong grower, good bearer and very hardy.

SOUTH HAVEN. Better than average size; prolific, dependable, and unusually hardy; ripens early; juicy, yellow flesh and free stone.

#### **Prices of Peach Trees**

Our thrifty, Northern grown Peach trees are the longest lived and the best for all climates.

Large, 2-year-old trees, by express or freight, not prepaid, 40c each; 3 for \$1.00; 5 or more at 25c each; 10 or more at 20c each; 20 or more at 18c each; 50 or more at 16c each; 100 or more at 14c each.

1-year-old, 2 to 3 feet, by parcel post, postpaid, 40c each; 3 for \$1.00. In larger lots, by express or freight, not prepaid, 5 or more at 15c each; 10 or more at 12c each; 20 or more at 11c each; 50 or more at 10c each; 100 or more at 9c each.

Owing to Quarantines, Peach trees cannot be shipped into Arizona, California, Idaho, Nevada, Oregon, Utah and Washington.

# Boston Nectarine

#### One of the Most Delicious of All Fruits

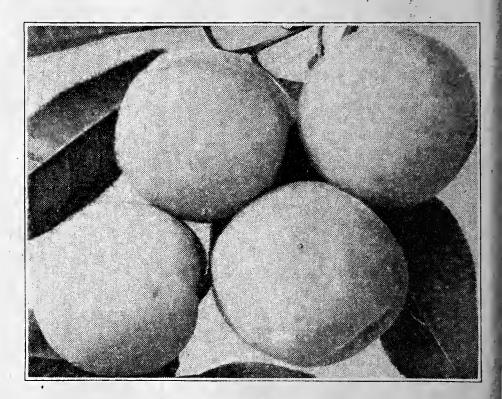
The Nectarine has size and a smooth skin like the plum. In other ways it is more like a peach. It is of rich, delicious flavor, juicy and melting, and highly prized as a dessert fruit. It is much superior to the peach as a dryer and makes excellent preserves. The Nectarine is as hardy as the peach and requires the same culture.

BOSTON. Bright yellow with red cheek; flesh yellow and of excellent quality. The finest of all Nectarines. Tree vigorous and an early bearer.

Large, 2-year-old trees, by express or freight, not prepaid, at 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 5 for \$3.00; or 10 or more at 50c each.

1-year-old, 2 to 3 feet, by parcel post, postpaid, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00. In larger lots by express or freight, not prepaid, 5 or more at 35c each; 10 or more at 30 each.

Owing to quarantines, Nectarine trees cannot be shipped into Arizona, California, Idaho, Nevada, Oregon, Utah and Washington.



Superb Apricot

# Hardy Superb Apricot

Highly Ornamental and Valuable Fruit Tree

Superb is a hardy Russian variety, the best flavored and the most productive hardy Apricot. The fruit ripens a month earlier than early Peaches. As hardy as the hardiest Peach, and usually begins to bear two years after planting. It is very productive. In shape and color it resembles the Peach, but in texture and smoothness of its skin, it is more like the plum. The Superb has a most delicious flavor and, in addition to being very desirable for eating fresh, is much prized for canning and drying. The Apricot is a delightful addition to any home planting, not only because of the delicious fruit, but for the exquisite beauty of the blossoms. Considered as an ornamental tree alone, the Apricot is unsurpassed.

Our fine, large, thrifty, Northern grown Apricot trees are budded on plum roots and are much hardier than Southern grown stock and are longer lived than Apricots that are budded on peach. Trees grown as we produce them may cost you a little more, but they are the best for both the North and the South. We cannot ship Apricot trees to Arizona, California, Idaho, Nevada, Oregon, Utah or Washington.

PRICES: Select, 2-year-old trees, by express, not prepaid, 65c each; 3 for \$1.80; 5 for \$2.50; or 10 or more at 40c each. 1-year-old, 2 to 3 feet, by parcel post, postpaid, 65c each; 3 for \$1.80. In larger lots, by express or freight, not prepaid, 5 or more at 35c each; 10 or more at 30c each.

# PLUMS 14c to 50c Each

ABUNDANCE (Japan). Large, red, sweet, very juicy, tender and melting. Hardy and productive. Ripens in August.

BRADSHAW. Fruits large, dark reddish purple. Flesh yellow, juicy and

sweet! Trees vigorous and productive. Ripens in August.

BURBANK (Japan). Skin dark red over a yellow ground; juicy, sweet.

Good shipper; ripens in late August, a week later than Abundance. Large. GERMAN PRUNE. Purplish-black, medium juicy, large. Good market variety; popular for canning, because of its sweetness. September.

IMPERIAL GAGE. Large, pale green, juicy, sweet, rich and excellent. Very

popular. August.

LOMBARD. Medium size, red, juicy and sweet. Hardy and very productive; a leading market variety. Will grow anywhere and should be in every garden.

YELLOW EGG. Extremely large yellow fruit, with firm, sweet, rather juicy flesh. Agreeably tart and of good quality. Ripens in late August.

PRICES Large 4 to 6 foot 2-year-old trees, by express, not prepaid, at or more at 30c each; 3 for \$1.35; 5 for \$2.00; 10 or more at 35c each; 20 or more at 25c each; or 100 or more at 20c each.

1-year-old, 2 to 3 feet, by parcel post, postpaid, 50c each; 3 for \$1.35. In larger lots, by express or freight, not prepaid, 5 or more at 25c each; 10 or more at 20c each; 20 or more at 18c each; 50 or more at 16c each; or 100 or more at 14c each.

### **SWEET CHERRIES**

BING: Few sweet cherries equal Bing in size, attractiveness and qual-

ity. Almost black; bears early and abundant.

BLACK TARTARIAN. A popular home garden sweet cherry; purplishblack; flesh tender, juicy and rich. Produces immense crops. Ripens earlier than Bing

GOVERNOR WOOD. Light yellow, marbled with red; very large; juicy, rich and delicious. Extra early.

LAMBERT. A very sweet variety and one of the largest. Dark purplish red, turning almost jet black when ripe. Later than Bing.

NAPOLEON. Yellow with bright red cheek; very large, meaty and sweet. Very productive; bears young. Mid-season. SCHMIDT'S BIGARREAU. One of the best mid-season to late sorts;

color reddish-black, very large and sweet.

WINDSOR. Hardy, prolific, late variety; fruit one inch in diameter; nearly black when fully ripe; flesh firm and of very high quality.

YELLOW SPANISH. Fruit large, yellowish-white, shaded crimson.

Juicy and sweet. Especially recommended for the home orchard because of its earliness.

PRICES Large 4 to 6 foot 2-year-old trees, by express, not prepaid, at 60c each; 3 for \$1.50; 5 for \$2.25; 10 or more at 40c each; 20 or more at 35c each; 50 or more at 30c each; 100 or more at 25c each.

1-year-old, 2 to 3 feet, by parcel post, postpaid, 60c each; 3 for \$1.50. In larger lots, by express or freight, not prepaid, 5 or more at 30c each; 10 or more at 26c each; 20 or more at 24c each; 50 or more at 22c each; 100 or more at 20c each.

#### SOUR CHERRIES

EARLY RICHMOND. A dependable variety which seldom misses a crop.

Dark red. Best early sour cherry.

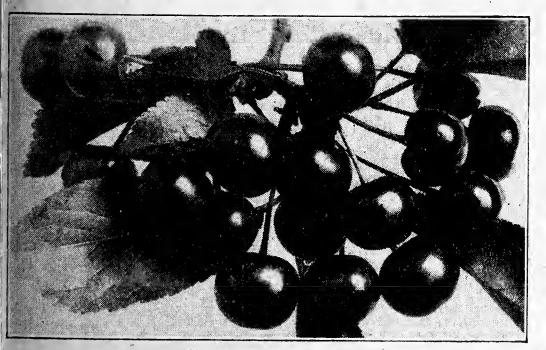
LARGE MONTMORENCY. Large red cherry; larger than Early Rich-

mond and fully ten days later. The leading commercial variety.

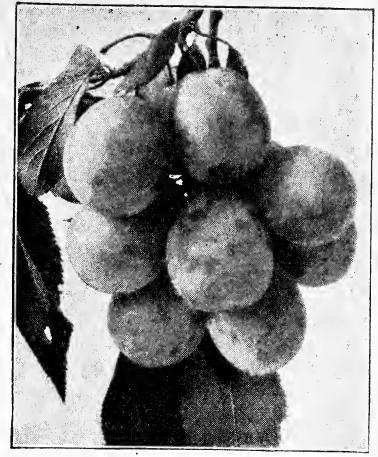
ENGLISH MORELLO. The standard late sour cherry. Very dark red, almost black; excellent quality. A month later than Montmorency.

PRICES Large 4 to 6 foot 2-year-old trees, by express, not prepaid, at 50c each; 3 for \$1.35; 5 for \$2.00; 10 or more at 35c each; 20 or more at 30c each; 50 or more at 25c each; 100 or more at 20c each.

1-year-old, 2 to 3 feet, by parcel post, postpaid, 50c each; 3 for \$1.35. In larger lots, by express or freight, not prepaid, 5 or more at 20c each; 10 or more at 17c each; 20 or more at 15c each; 50 or more at 13c each; 100 or more at 12c each.



Montmorency Cherries



Lombard Plums

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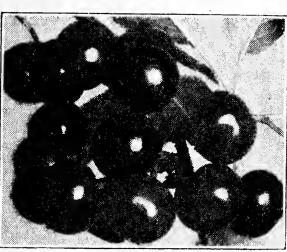
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ish black when ripe.

In flavor it is rich, mild

#### Improved Dwarf Juneberry

A good substitute for the large or swamp Huckleberry or Blueberry which it resembles in appearance and quality. The fruits are larger than the Blueberry and ripen earlier in

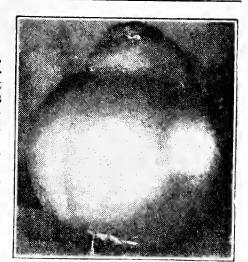


and sub-acid, and the plants Improved Dwarf Juneberry are wonderfully productive. It is perfectly hardy in all climates, and has an advantage over the Blueberry in that it does well on all kinds of soil. In addition to its value as a fruit, it is a highly ornamental bush for the yard, especially in early spring, at which time it is a mass of pretty white blossoms. Our stock of these plants is very limited this season, so we can sell them only in lots of one dozen or less. Plants, 30c each; 3 for 75c; 12 for \$2.00, postpaid.

#### **QUINCE**

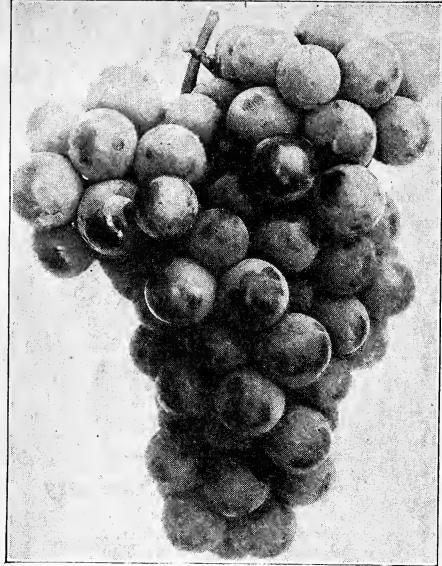
ORANGE. Fruit large, bright yellow, of excellent flavor; the best Quince for all sections of the country. Unsurpassed for preserves and jellies. Both fruit and flowers are quite fragrant, and the trees and bloom highly ornamental.

Large, 2-year-old plants, by express or freight, not prepaid, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 5 for **\$3.00;** 10 or more at 50c each; 25 or more at 40c each.



Orange Quince

1-year-old, 2 to 3 feet, by parcel post, postpaid, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00. In larger lots, by express or freight, not prepaid, 5 or more at 35c each; 10 or more at 30c each; or 25 or more at 25c each.



The Grape is one of the easiest fruits to grow. There is scarcity a country or city yard or garden so small that space cannot be found to plant one or more Grape Vines. Grapes will thrive anywhere, in any climate or soil. Will do well on soil too poor to raise a crop of grain or other fruit. A Grape vineyard represents a permanent investment that will pay big dividends every year for a lifetime. We have a fine stock of thrifty, two-year-old plants of the varieties listed on this page.

### Special Prices On Concord Grapes

The National Wine and Table Grape. A large, blue-black variety, ripening about the middle of September in our locality. Will not winterkill; healthy, vigorous vine; large bunch and berry, and will produce more fruit year in and year out than any other sort. 2-year-old vines, 20c each; 3 for 40c; 6 for 60c; 12 for \$1.00; 25 for \$2.00; 50 for \$3.85, postpaid. By express, not prepaid: 100 for \$5.00; 250 for \$11.00; 500 for \$19.00; 1,000 for \$36.00. For large, bearing age vines, see page 125.

# **GRAPES**

AGAWAM. Dark red; large bunch and berry; rich, sweet, aromatic flavor. Ripens closely following Concord. An excellent keeper that may be kept in common storage until January.

BRIGHTON. Sweet and delicious red Grape. Should be grown in every home garden. Not generally recommended as a commercial variety, as it will not ship to distant markets. Vigorous; productive; ripens two weeks ahead of Concord.

CAMPBELL'S EARLY. Black, with purple bloom; large bunch and berry. Juicy, with rich, swect flavor; hardy; vigorous. Two weeks earlier than Concord. Fruit hangs on vines sound and perfect for ten weeks or more after ripening.

CATAWBA. Purplish red, bunch large, berries of medium size; rich vinous flavor, of best quality for table and wine. Late; ripens here the last of September. The best keeper, lasting until March or later.

DELAWARE is a small red Grape. No American Grape has more delicate flavor or more pleasing aroma. Ripens with Concord. Brings from 50 to 100 per cent more on the market than other varieties. A hardy, vigorous vine; succeeds both North and South.

MOORE'S DIAMOND. The best early white Grape for the home garden, ripening about a week before Niagara. White, with rich yellow tinge; unsurpassed in quality and beauty; sweet, juicy; few seeds. Vine hardy, vigorous and productive.

MOORE'S EARLY. Similar but larger than Concord and ripens 2 or 3 weeks earlier, the last fruits of it being sent to market before those of the Concord are picked. Vines hardy, vigorous and moderately productive. Its size and earliness make it desirable for early market and home use.

NIAGARA. The leading white Grape throughout the country. Ranks with Concord in vigor and productiveness, and ripcns at the same time. Bunch and berry large and handsome. Tender, sweet, juicy and excellent flavor.

WORDEN. Larger berries and bunches than Concord, sweeter, better quality and ripens a week earlier. Fine for the local market and the home garden, but not a good shipper on account of its thin skin.

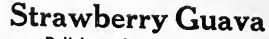
Reduced Prices Choice Grape Vines

Your choice of the above nine varieties of Grapes in 2-year-old vines, at 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; 12 for \$2.00; 25 for \$3.50; 50 for \$6.50, by parcel post, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 100 for \$9.00; 200 for \$17.00; 300 for \$24.00; 400 for \$30.00; 500 for \$35.00; 1,000 for \$65.00.

NOTICE—Owing to quarantine, Grape plants can not be shipped into the State of Oregon.

# Ornamental and Edible Fruits for Pot Culture Grow Figs in the North

Our Dwarf Fig is particularly adapted to pot culture. As a pot or tub plant, it is extremely valuable, either indoors or outdoors, and is an abundant bearer of the most delicious fruit. It will winter safely in an ordinary cellar, or it can be allowed to harden off with a few fall frosts and then be brought indoors for growing during the winter. Our Dwarf Fig is a variety which fruits on the young wood, that is wood of the current year's growth, which makes it a most desirable variety where the tops are likely to be frozen back, for if the top is frozen it can be cut to the ground, and when it begins growing, it will produce fruit on the new wood. It is for pot or tub culture that we particularly recommend this Fig, but when grown in the open ground, it will develop a crop of fruit farther north than is true of other varieties. Plants bear the first year they are set and abundantly each year thereafter. The fruit is very sweet and delicious; of good size; with flesh that is firm and meaty, and of very fine quality for making preserves, jams, canning, drying, or to eat in the fresh state. Plants, 50c each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.



Delicious, Sweet and Spicy

This is a luscious tropical fruit which makes a useful as well as a charming and beautiful house plant. It bears both flowers and fruit at the same time. The flowers are pure white and delightfully fragrant. The fruit is about the size of a walnut, of a beautiful reddish color, and of delicious, sweet and spicy flavor. Fine for eating out of hand, and unsurpassed for making jelly. These plants are usually

for making jelly. These plants are usually grown from seed and begin to bloom and bear fruit while quite small. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c. Plants, 45c each; 3 for \$1.20, postpaid.





Strawberry Guava



# Michigan Banana



Michigan Banana or Paw Paw Fruits

trees are very hardy and can be grown in all sections of the United States. Should be planted in every lawn and garden. We have a limited supply of these trees and can deliver them to you by parcel post, postpaid, at 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 5 for \$3.00; or 10 or more at 50c each.

Hardy Chinese Date

The Chinese Date (Jujube or Zizyphus) is a fruit from the high interior of China, which, we are sure, will prove to be one of the most valuable for our country. It is adapted to a wide range of territory and all kinds of soil. It is quite hardy, the United States Department of Agriculture bulletins reporting that it has withstood temperatures of 22 degrees below zero without

injury.

The tree is a heavy and constant bearer and commences to bear at an early age, four-year-old trees having produced 150 pounds of fruit. It blooms very late in the spring, avoiding all danger from spring frosts. The fruit is one to two inches long, and chocolate colored. It is delicious when eaten fresh or to two inches long, and chocolate colored. It is delicious when eaten fresh or cured like dates, and is excellent for preserves and jam. Cooked in a sugar syrup and allowed to dry it becomes a most tasty and palatable confection which we believe will eventually rival the date as a commercial product. Because of its productiveness and its highly nutritious and delicious fruit, capable of being used in many ways, it is sure to be a valuable addition to the orchards and gardens. Every home should have one or more trees. It likes a clean back yard where it is not cultivated, but will grow anywhere. We have but a limited supply of these trees and, as long as they last, will deliver them by parcel post, postpaid, at \$1.25 each.

#### Nut Trees for Profit and Shade

Nut trees will provide an abundance of shade and produce large crops of nuts which will please both young and old. Almost every farm contains land which should be planted to nut trees. Nuts in many cases pay better than farm crops or fruit, while most kinds are making a growth of valuable timber that will of itself pay a large per cent on the investment.

BUTTERNUT (White Walnut). The nuts are large, long, oily and nutritious. A lofty, spreading tree, valued as a shade tree and for its beautiful wood as well as for its nuts. 2 to 3 feet, 45c each, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 4 to 6 feet, 80c; 6 to 8 feet, \$1.30.

BLACK WALNUT. A native tree of large size and majestic form. The most valuable of all trees for its timber, bringing the very highest price in market. The tree is a fairly rapid grower, makes a good shade tree, and the large, oily nuts are of fine flavor and marketable at a fair price. 2 to 3 feet, 45c each, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 4 to 6 feet, 80c; 6 to 8 feet, \$1.30; 8 to 10 feet, \$1.75.

Hardy English Walnut

Our English Walnut trees are hardy will stand more cold than peaches, and will produce good crops of nuts which are in every way equal to the California product. There is very little labor connected with the harvesting of English Walnuts—simply gather the nuts from the ground when they fall. No shucking—simply pick them up and put them in sacks and they are ready for use. No other work connected with harvesting. These trees have been thoroughly tested. We can recommend them for planting in Michigan, New York and other Northern and Eastern States as well as in the South and West. The English Walnut equals the maple as a shade tree. 18 to 24 inches, \$1.00 each, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 2 to 3 feet, \$1.25; 3 to 4 feet, \$1.50; 4 to 6 feet, \$1.75.

NOTICE

or Arizona.

Owing to quarantines, the different varieties of Walnut trees can not be shipped into California



Chinese Date

# Japanese Walnut

Of the finer imported Walnuts the Japanese is the species best adapted by its hardy, vigorous habit for general culture in our country. It grows with great vigor, assuming a handsome shape without pruning, and has withstood a temperature of 21 degrees below zero without injury. Its nuts are considerably larger than the common hickory-nut, and are borne in clusters of fifteen to twenty. The shell is a little thicker than that of the English Walnut, which it resembles in a general way. The kernels are meaty, delicate, and can be removed entire. It is a handsome shade tree and begins to bear when only 3 or 4 years old. 2 to 3 feet, \$1.00 each, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 4 to 6 feet, \$1.25; 6 to 8 feet, \$1.50.



fruiting season is made possible by its strong feeder system, that reaches down deep in the soil, providing plenty of moisture and nourishment to the fruiting stems.

### Pearl

The latest of all Strawberries, with the exception of the Everbearers. Dark red solid berries of rich flavor produced after the best of the other June-fruiting varieties are off the market, thus commanding a high price at the close of the season. A heavy producer and a strong grower, even on poor soils.

#### Wilson

Considered by many as the best flavored Strawberry in existence. The berries are bright red, have small seeds and are very sweet. It ripens late and continues to bear late in the season. The robust plants will produce a heavy crop without special care, making it a profitable variety for commercial planting.

NOTICE All varieties of Strawber-ries listed in this catalog are perfect flowering and do not require other varieties for cross-pollenization.

Undoubtedly the best extra early Strawberry in existence. A large berry of uniform shape and size, excellent quality, rich color and highly resistant to frost. These qualities make Premier one of the most valuable market varieties. A good planting should give you the first berries on the market when they command the highest price.

#### Blakemore

An early variety originated and developed by the United States Department of Agriculture, and has been thoroughly tested in all parts of the country. Dark, red fruits of good quality and fine flavor. Because of its excellent keeping and shipping qualities, it is becoming a popular variety in the South to ship to the early Northern markets.

Senator Dunlap

The old standby. A mid-season variety that grows on all types of soil and in all climates. A good producer and a fine

PRICES Your choice of the Strawberry plants listed on this page, at the following low prices: 25 for 55c; 50 for 85c; 100 for \$1.35, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 100 for 95c; 300 for \$2.25; 500 for \$3.00; 1,000 for \$4.75; or \$4.25 per 1,000 in lots of 5,000 or

#### Aroma

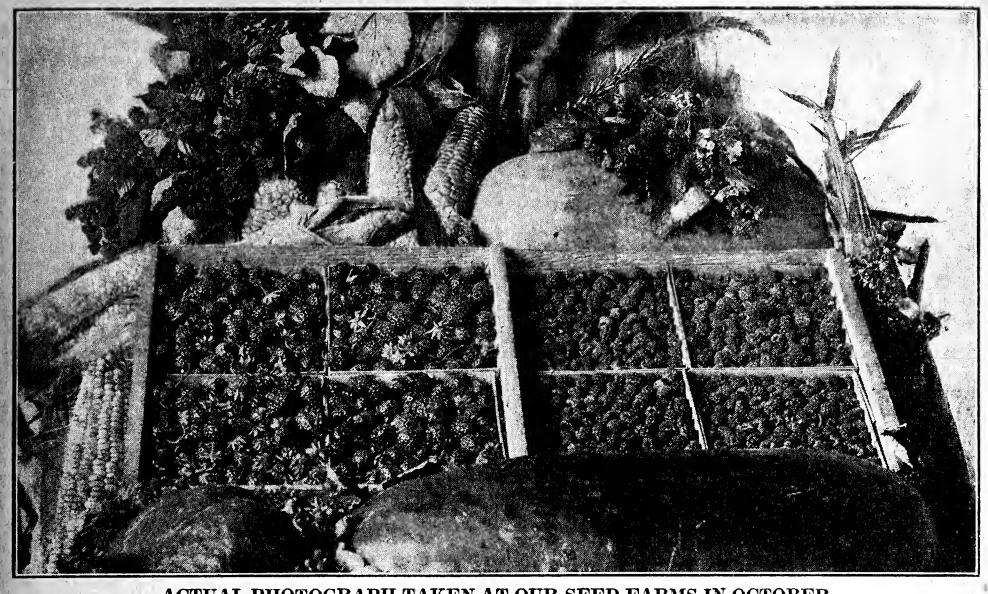
Popular, large, dark red, late variety.

#### Gibson

A favorite mid-season variety.

#### Dr. Burrill

Good garden variety; resembles Dun-



ACTUAL PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN AT OUR SEED FARMS IN OCTOBER

Everbearing Strawberries, St. Regis Everbearing Raspberries, corn, melons and squash, picked and photographed in October. One-half of the crate is filled with Strawberries, and the other half Raspberries. Notice the branch of Raspberries (upper left hand corner of the picture) and see how loaded it is with fruit. Also notice the Strawberry plant on the Irish Gray Watermelon, in the upper right hand corner of the picture. This plant is loaded with ripe and green berries and blossoms.

# Mastodon Everbearing Strawberry

Fresh Strawberries every day from June until October. Many everbearing Strawberries have been placed on the market, both before and since the introduction of Mastodon, but no other variety has ever attained the popular position that Mastodon holds today. It is no longer an experiment. It has been producing its enormous crop of big berries during the summer and fall months for the past 15 years, proving that the prolific and everbearing habits that have made it so popular are permanently fixed.

#### Big Delicious Berries 90 Days After Planting

Strawberry growers everywhere acclaim Mastodon the greatest money maker of them all, as it will produce a paying crop with just ordinary care. It succeeds under practically all climatic and soil conditions, even producing large crops in dry climates. Our thrifty plants set in the spring will produce a crop of berries in 90 days and continue through summer and fall until stopped by freezing weather.

#### 18 Berries Fill a Quart Box

Eighteen or twenty berries will often fill a quart box. They are rich glossy red, of firm and solid texture, and delicious in flavor. A Small planting will keep the home table supplied with berries throughout the summer and fall. A large planting will reap hundreds of dollars for the farmer.

PRICES: 25 for 75c; 50 for \$1.25; 100 for \$2.00, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 100 for \$1.60; 300 for \$3.60; 500 for \$5.50; 1,000 for \$10.00



Mastodon Everbearing



Lucretia Dewberry

About 1,700 plants are required to set an acre.

PRICES: 6 for 45c; 12 for 75c; 25 for \$1.20; 50 for \$1.90; 100 for \$3.25, by parcel post, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 100 for \$2.25; 200 for \$4.10; 300 for \$5.70; 400 for \$7.00; 500 for \$8.00; 1,000 for \$15.00.

# The Big Money Maker

#### \$1000.00 a Year per Acre with Lucretia Dewberries

Lucretia Dewberries are bringing big money. They ripen a week or ten days alread of common blackberries, the bulk of the crop being harvested before other blackberries start to ripen, so sell at very high prices.

The Dewberry belongs to the blackberry family, and the Lucretia is the best of them all. The large berries are incomparably better than any blackberry grown; of unequaled excellence; sweet and luscious throughout, and of bright glossy black color. They are very productive and the most profitable of all fruit crops to grow. color. They are very productive, and the most profitable of all fruit crops to grow. The Lucretia has received the highest endorsement and highest praise from the best horticulturists in the country. Its trailing habit renders it less liable to winterkill. Propagates from the tips, like black raspberries; does not spread or

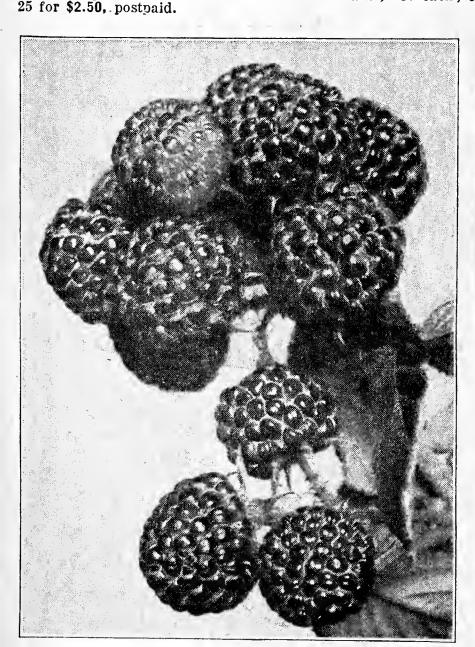
There are two methods of growing the Dewberry. One is to set the plants 4 feet apart in the row, with rows 6 to 7 feet apart. Allow them to grow along the row in their natural way, removing all the new growth until after blooming time, and then allow only enough new vines to grow to provide for the next crop, and at the same time shade the ripening fruit. In this way they will ripen earlier than they would tied up to wires or stakes, the whole crop being grown in Nature's own way, down among the dewy leaves unexposed to strong rays of summer sun. Controlling the new growth each season does away with the necessity of stakes or posts and wire.

The other method of growing is to use short posts and wire. Grown in this way, the fruit is much easier to pick, but is not quite as early. The posts need be only 30 to 36 inches high. Use one wire and in the spring tie all canes onto same, holding them off the ground. Let the new canes lie on the ground throughout the growing season, covering them slightly for winter protection in climates where the winters are severe. Cut away old wood in spring and tie new canes on wire, or old wood can be removed soon after harvesting the crop.

# BLACKBERRIES

ELDORADO. We recommend this variety ahead of all others. The berries are large in size, very sweet, and of delicious flavor and quality. It is one of the hardiest blackberries in cultivation and has never been known to winterkill. Very productive, and never fails to ripen a crop. 6 for 45c; 12 for 75c; 25 for \$1.25; 50 for \$1.95; 100 for \$3.40, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 100 for \$2.40; 200 for \$4.30; 300 for \$6.00; 400 for \$7.40; 500 for \$8.50; 1,000 for \$16.00.

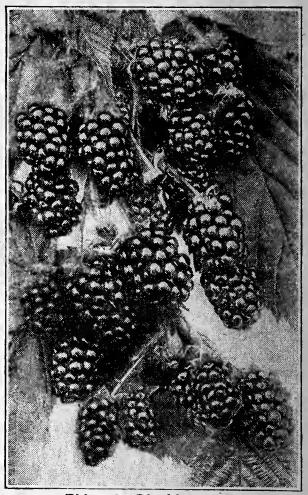
ICEBERG. This is the white blackberry. It is not merely a curiosity, for in addition to being a real novelty it is a berry of extraordinary quality. These shining creamy-white berries, when mixed with jet-black ones, make a most attractive dish. The bushes are good strong growers and very productive. For best results, this variety should be planted near other blackberries. Plants, 20c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.50;



Cumberland Black Raspberry

**Our Prices** Are for Select No. 1 Plants The Kind

We Can Guarantee to Grow



Eldorado Blackberry

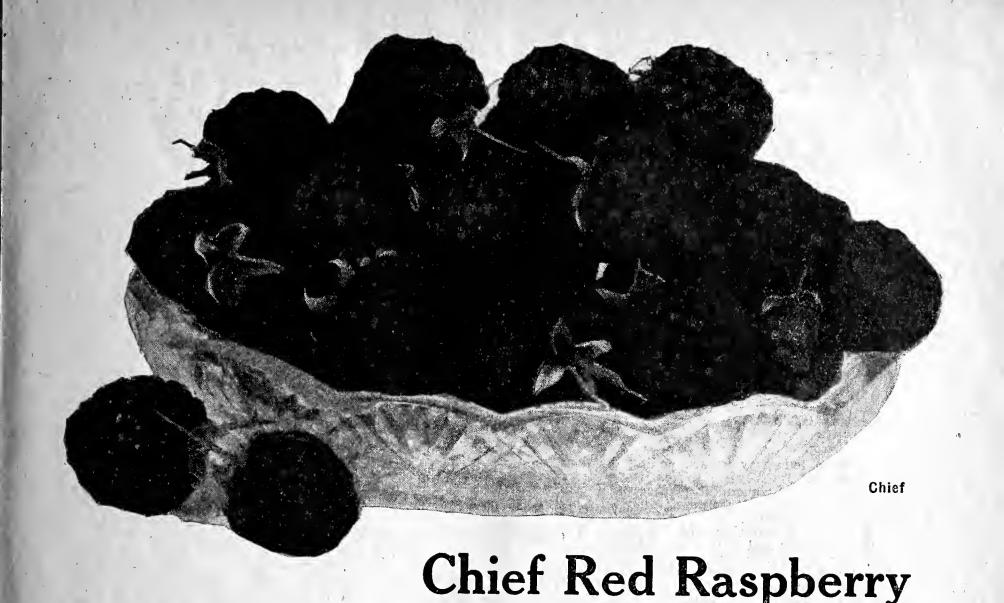
### Cumberland Black Raspberry

The largest and most productive black raspberry. Ripens mediumearly and continues throughout the raspberry season. Very hardy, and the most profitable market sort. 6 for 40c; 12 for 65c; 25 for \$1.00 · 50 for \$1.75; 100 for \$3.00, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 100 for \$2.00; 200 for \$3.50; 300 for \$4.80; 400 for \$5.80; 500 for \$6.50; 1,000 for \$12.00.

# Golden Queen Raspberry

A beautiful, large, golden yellow raspberry. Many prefer this variety to any of the red or black sorts, owing to its sugary sweetness and unsurpassed flavor. Should be in every garden, its beauty and high quality placing it at the head for table use. The canes are hardy, of strongest growth and very productive. 20c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.25; 50 for \$4.00; 100 for \$7.00, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, \$6.00 per 100.

> Take Advantage of Present Low Prices Buy Fruit Plants This Year



# Latham Raspberry

A Big Money Maker

The Latham is conceded to be the best late red raspberry. It has more points of merit and has come into general planting more rapidly than any other raspberry ever introduced. It is vigorous in growth; withstands the winters in Canada without covering; and exceptionally free from mosaic and other diseases. The large berries, some running over an inch in diameter, and the deep red color make it most attractive, and it is the most productive variety grown. Growers are beginning to realize that no other late red raspberry will make them so much money, so surely and quickly as the Latham. One nine acre field of Latham in Minnesota produced an average of \$1,000.00 per acre each year for five years, and similar reports are coming from all sections of the country.

PRICES: 6 for 45c; 12 for 75c; 25 for \$1.25; 50 for \$2.00; 100 for \$3.55, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 100 for \$2.55; 200 for \$4.70; 300 for \$6.60; 400 for \$8.20; 500 for \$9.50; 1,000 for \$18.00.

#### BEARING AGE Raspberry Plants

For large, transplanted Latham and Chief Raspberry Plants that will bear this summer, see page 125.

### The New Hardy Disease-Resistant Early Raspberry

The new Chief Raspberry has been grown in test grounds all over the country during the past ten years, and the following facts have been proven:

HARDINESS-Chief originated in Northern Minnesota. It is perfectly hardy and is recommended by the Minnesota Department of Agriculture.

DISEASE RESISTANT-Being an offspring of the famous Latham it has all the disease resistant qualities of its parent.

PRODUCTIVENESS-Its extreme hardiness and resistance to disease makes it a very robust grower and a heavy bearer. In many tests it has outyielded Latham.

EARLINESS—Chief ripens 10 to 12 days ahead of Latham, placing it on the market with the benefit of early high prices.

QUALITY—The exceptionally fine flavor places Chief in great demand not only as a table berry, but also as a canner. The fruit is dark red, of good size and an excellent shipper.

PRICES: 6 for 50c; 12 for 80c; 25 for \$1.35; 50 for \$2.25; 100 for \$3.90, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 100 for \$2.90; 200 for \$5.50; 300 for \$7.80; 400 for \$9.80; 500 for \$11.50; 1,000 for \$22.00.

#### **Early King**

The earliest red raspberry; has long been the favorite throughout the Northern and Central States. 6 for 45c; 12 for 70c; 25 for \$1.15; 50 for \$1.85; 100 for \$3.20, postpaid. By express, not prepaid 100 for \$2.20; 200 for paid, 100 for \$2.20; 200 for \$4.10; 300 for \$5.70; 400 for \$7.00; 500 for \$8.00; 1,000 for

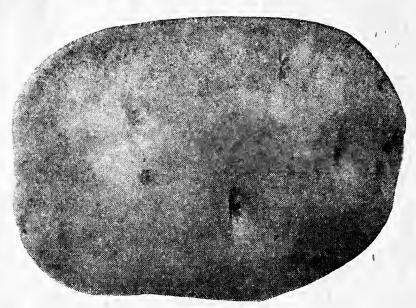
St. Regis Everbearing Red Raspberry

Fruit commences to ripen with the early varieties of red raspberries and continues to produce fruit during the summer and fall, and until the berries freeze in the fall or early winter. As to quality of fruit, St. Regis has no superior. Berries bright crimson, large size, rich, sugary, and of the best flavor. St. Regis is exceedingly hardy, the severest cold uninjured. Wonderfully prolific. The only red raspberry that yields a crop of fruit the first season. Plants set in the spring will commence bearing the following June. Cutting off the canes near the ground, late in the fall, prevents the summer crop and has a tendency to make the fall crop more abundant.

PRICES: 6 for 45c; 12 for 75c; 25 for \$1.25; 50 for \$2.00; 100 for \$3.55, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 100 for \$2.55; 200 for \$4.70; 300 for \$6.60; 400 for \$8.20; 500 for \$9.50; 1,000 for



# NEW WHITE GOLD POTATO



#### Ten Days Earlier Than Any Other White Potato

White Gold will go a long way toward ending the depression for farmers who grow it. It is by far the earliest white Potato, which enables the grower to get on the market when prices are high. It is also a profitable main crop sort, due to its big yield

and fine appearance and quality.

white Gold has the size and shape of the Green Mountain, though the eyes are shallow and it is slightly netted in appearance. The yields compare favorably with late varieties such as Rural New Yorker and Carman. The outstanding feature, however, is its earliness, for here is a white Potato of good size and appearance, a big yielder, and ten days earlier than Irish Cobbler, Early Ohio or Bliss Triumph. It is also a good winter keeper and of splendid cooking quality. Naturally the price of seed of this new variety is somewhat higher than ordinary varieties but it is worth many times the difference in cost, as growties, but it is worth many times the difference in cost, as growers will derive greater profits because of its earliness. Bushel, \$2.95; ½ bu., \$1.65; ¼ bu., \$1.00, f. o. b. Minne-

sota growing station.

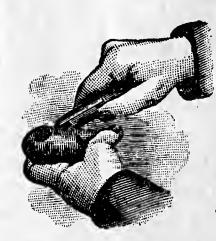
Bushel, \$3.45; ½ bu., \$1.90; ¼ bu., \$1.15, f. o. b. Galesburg.

# Potato Eyes by Mail

Thousands of our customers who want to grow a few of our White Gold Potatoes this year, will probably hesitate ordering on account of high express charges on a peck or bushel of seed. For the benefit of our customers who want to get a start with this most excellent of all potatoes, we are furnishing good sound potato eyes by mail. These eyes are carefully packed and we warrant them to arrive in good growing condition, no matter far away. Remember, the potato eyes are sent postpaid. This is your opportunity to get a start with this wonderful potato. 60 eyes should produce a bushel or more of good potatoes. Some claim 3 to 5 bushels from sixty eyes, and one customer in Alaska reports 350 lbs. from 30 eyes.

Orders for the South can be sent at any time during the winter with perfect safety. Orders for the North and West can be sent at once or later as desired. If shipping date is not specified by the customer, Northern orders will be booked when received, and sent when spring opens up or planting time arrives. Upon receipt of potato eyes, if too early to plant, put in moist earth and keep where they will not freeze.

### Prices of White Gold Potato Eyes

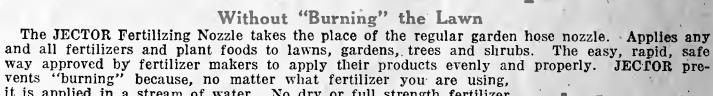


30 for 50c; 60 for 80c; 100 for \$1.20; 250 for \$2.50; 500 for \$4.75; or 1,000 for \$9.00, by parcel post, post-paid. No order accepted for less than 30 eyes.



# FERTILIZE As You Sprinkle





it is applied in a stream of water. No dry or full strength fertilizer touches the foliage and even the solution is quickly washed off and soaked down around the roots where it is rapidly available as plant food. Simple to operate. Merely put any fertilizer in a bucket. Fill the bucket with water. Attach nozzle to garden hose. Drop suction tube into bucket of fertilizer solution and turn on the water. The JECTOR does the rest. Action is visible at all times; operation is continuous; no water to be shut off, jars or tanks to be opened and frequently re-filled this modern way. The only device that can be instantly changed to discharge either fertilizing solution or clear water for rinsing or washing down.

APPLIES all fertilizers, grass seeds, insecticides, lime, disinfectants, oil emulsions, crank case oil to lay dust, etc.

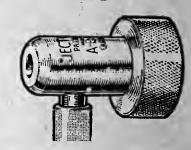
USED ON lawns, gardens, shrubs, trees, in henneries and outbuild-

ings, to oil roadways, to kill chiggers, etc.

Made of solid brass; special rubber tubing resists chemicals. Guaranteed satisfactory when used as directed.

Individually packed complete with nozzle, rubber tube and valuable booklet of instructions and suggestions. \$1.00 each, postpaid.

**EACH** Postpaid





# Clean, Odorless Fertilizer—Easy to Use

Fertil-X will make plants bloom earlier and hold Fertil-X is a scientifically prepared complete plant their blossoms longer. It will make more and larger blossoms and the plants more robust and thrifty.

Fertil-X will make your foliage plants put on new growth quickly; and the foliage will be of better and richer color.

Fertil-X will make vegetable crops, berry bushes and fruit trees increase production, and improve the quality of the fruits and vegetables.

Nothing else equals Fertil-X for house plants, ferns, roses, and flower and vegetable gardens. It is odorless and has no obnoxious, messy characteristics. There is nothing disagreeable about using it.

food that is 135 times as strong as barnyard manure.

Fertil-X has a decided advantage over ordinary fertilizers in that it is so highly concentrated that only a little of it is required, thus saving considerable time in applying.

Fertil-X has a guaranteed analysis of 15% nitrogen, 30% phosphoric acid and 15% potash, all available, and it acts immediately.

1/2 lb. box (House Plant and Small Flower Garden Size), enough for 30 to 125 square feet, 50c, post-paid. By express, not prepaid, 10 lb. bag, \$1.60; 50 lb. bag, \$4.50; 100 lb. bag, \$8.00.



Kills Ants in the Nest

SAFE . . . PERMANENT . . . EFFECTIVE

Antrol is easy to use, economical, and safe. It consists of small glass containers from which the worker ants carry special Antrol Syrup to their nests for food. The whole ant family is quickly killed at the source—the only way to get permanent freedom from these pests. Control both sweet and grease eating ants.

Antrol containers are practically unbreakable glass, with rust-proof, waterproof aluminum lids that will last for years. Adapted to any size home or

Complete Antrol Set, consisting of 4 containers and one 4-oz. bottle of syrup, by express, not prepaid, 75c.

The above set may be used year after year, simply by refilling the con-

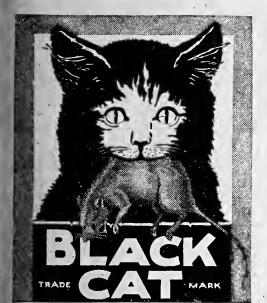
tainers with Antrol Syrup. Extra bottles of syrup are supplied by express, not prepaid, at 35c for the 4-oz. size; or 85c per pint.

Ready-Filled Antrol Set. To meet popular demand for a low priced article, we are offering a ready-filled set, consisting of 4 patented glass "feeders" filled with regular Antrol Syrup. This new set has all the quality features of the 75c set but contains only one-half as much syrup. By express, not

Antrol sets and syrup cannot be sent by parcel post.



# KILL RATS AND MICE



#### **BLACK CAT**

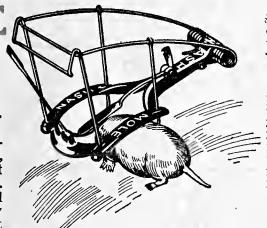
#### Non-Poisonous

#### Rat and Mouse Killer

Harmless to Man, Domestic Animals, Baby Chicks, Poultry, Dogs or Cats, but Kills Rats and Mice Quickly. May be safely used around the home, barn, poultry house, warehouse or any rat or mouse infested building. Can be mixed with butter, ground meat, corn meal or other food, and the rats and mice will eat it readily. Drives them outdoors to die.

Guaranteed to kill rats, mice and gophers, and nothing else, when used accord-

ing to directions. 50c per package, postpaid.



**CUTWORMS** 

DESTROYED

stroys Cutworms, Snails, Slugs, Grasshoppers, Sow-

bugs, etc. It is a ready

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simply broadcast on the

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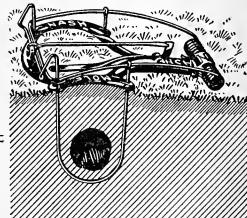
SNAROL will not deteri-

orate from rain or sprinkling and is non-injurious to vegetation when used

according to simple directions. Should be used in

every garden, large or small. SNAROL is a

SNAROL quickly de-



### Nash Mole Trap

#### The Only Trap That Always Catches the Mole in All Kinds of Ground

The Nash type of trap is recommended by the Bureau of Biological Survey of the U.S. Dept. of Agriculture. It is the only trap that can not fail when properly set, and it is easily set.

By government experiment station test the NASH "CHOKER LOOP" MOLE TRAP caught SEVEN TIMES as many moles as the next best type of trap.

This trap catches the mole when it comes from either direction. The trigger pan is located between the two choker loops, which are sufficiently far apart so the mole in passing will always spring the trap and can not fail being caught by one of the loops. \$1.50 each, postpaid.



ton, \$60.00.

# National Garden Gloves

#### for Men and Women

Popular type of garden glove specially designed to give finger freedom and complete protection.

#### All-Leather—DIRT-PROOF SOFT AS KID—Extra Pliable

Made from select imported leather specially processed to render it amazingly soft and pliable—as well as durable. Permit almost barehand freedom with perfect comfort, yet insure complete protection from dirt, scratches, bruises, stains. Keep the hands in perfect condition.

Economical—outwear 6 pairs of ordinary fabric gloves and are useful for other home duties the year round—Housework, Painting, Yard, Eurnace, Garage, etc.

Sizes for women: Small (size  $5\frac{1}{2}$  to  $6\frac{1}{2}$ ); medium (size  $6\frac{1}{2}$  to  $7\frac{1}{2}$ ); large (size  $7\frac{1}{2}$  to  $8\frac{1}{2}$ ).

Sizes for men: Medium (size 9 to 10); large (size 10 to 11). Price: 75c a pair; 2 pairs for \$1.40, postpaid.

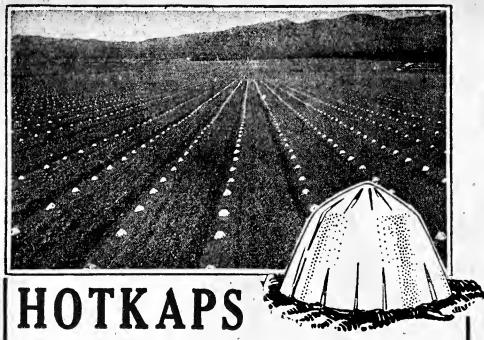
is a fertilizer for Extensively used for House Plants, Gardens, Fruit Trees, Berries, etc. Especially good for Lawns, and probably the best fertilizer for Roses. 5-lb. can, \$1.00, postpaid. By express or freight, not prepaid, 25-lb. bag, \$1.75; 50 lbs., \$3.00; 100 lbs., \$4.25; 300 lbs., \$11.25; 500 lbs., \$16.50; 1,000 lbs., \$31.00;

stroyed. SNAROL will also kill Gophers and Ground Squirrels, if placed in their runways.



# Our best grade Raw Bone Meal

poison and cannot be sent by mail. By express, not prepaid: 1½-lb. package, 35c; 4-lb. package, 85c; 15-lb. package, \$3.00; 50-lb. bag, \$8.00.



are considered by authorities as one of the greatest agricultural inventions in the past decade. Last year farmers and market gardeners in every State in the Union successfully used them for protecting their crops of melons, cucumbers, tomatoes, egg plant, peppers, squash, etc., against frost and for earlier crop maturity.

# Prices of "Hotkaps"

25 for 70c; 50 for \$1.20; 100 for \$2.00; 250 for \$3.75; 500 for \$7.00, by parcel post, postpaid.

In even thousands, by express, not prepaid: 1,000 for \$10.00; 5,000 or more at \$9.85 per thousand.

# Bigger Profits from Your Crops

Market Your Crops 3 Weeks Earlier and Benefit from Higher Prices. These "Miniature Hothouses" Make This Possible by Protecting Plants Against Frost and Storms.

Each year more and more thousands of growers are increasing their profits by using Germaco HOTKAPS-shown above. This remarkable invention consists of a scientifically constructed wax paper cone that you place over each plant. Thus they are miniature hot-houses that protect plants from frost, wind, rain, insects and ground crusting.

HOTKAPS not only protect plants, but make them grow hardier and faster. Thus you get a greater crop production to market earlier for higher prices!

You can add to your next year's profit with Hotkaps. They cost but a fraction over a penny each. One man can "set" 3,000 Hotkaps per day. They not only bring you higher prices, but are a method of crop insurance—against the danger of the

"HOTKAP" SETTERS Where the Hotkaps are used in large quantities, the GERMACO HOTKAP SETTER will prove very helpful. It is a labor-saving device for setting Hotkaps accurately and quickly into the ground. The Standard Setter is made of steel and will last a lifetime. Price, \$2.00 each, by express, not prepaid; or \$2.50, by parcel post, postpaid. We also have a more cheaply made setter, known as the Garden Setter, which we do not recommend for the large user. It will do the same work as the Standard Setter, and do it rapidly, and is the economical one for the small gardener to buy. We can supply the Garden Setters at 65c each, postpaid.

SPECIAL OFFERS

100 Hotkaps and one Garden Setter, \$2.60, postpaid.

250 Hotkaps and one Garden Setter, \$3.65, not prepaid; \$4.15, postpaid. 500 Hotkaps and one Garden Setter, \$6.50, not prepaid; \$7.50, postpaid.

# INSECTICIDE

#### NON-POISONOUS POWDER HARMLESS TO MAN AND ANIMALS

KALITE KILLS Cucumber, Melon and Squash Bugs, Mexican Bean Beetle, Asparagus Beetle, Aster Beetle, Blister Beetle, Flea Beetle, Potato Bugs, Cabbage Worms, Red Spider, Rose Chafer, Grape Berry Moth, Current Worms, Streetler, Grape Berry Worms, Flier, Streetler, Grape Berry Worms, Strawberry Leaf Roller, Strawberry Weevil, Saw Flies, Measuring or Span Worm, Climbing Cut Worms, Tomato Worms, most Leaf-Eating Caterpillars, etc.

KALITE is all ready to use—JUST DUST IT ON.

PRICES: 1-lb. sifter top can, 45c; 3¼-lb. can, \$1.30, postpaid. 1-lb., 35c; 3¼-lb. can, \$1.00; 25-lb. drum, \$5.00, not prepaid.

SPECIAL-100-lb. drum, freight paid, \$15.00.

Cro-Tox protects planted seeds during the germination period. Birds and rodents will not molest seed treated with Cro-Tox. Cro-Tox rodents also hastens germination and assists in preventing seed-rot. 8-oz. size (enough to treat 1 bushel of seed), 65c; 16-oz. size, \$1.00, postpaid.

### Make Your Hens Lay

You can't expect hens to lay eggs if they are infested with mites. Rid your premises of mites with MITEMIST. Easy to use-just spray it on the nests, walls, roosts and ceilings before roosting times. The fumes will penetrate feathers, cracks, crevices-everywhere. MITEMIST is not injurious to poultry, but the fumes are deadly to mites, bed bugs, ants, roaches, etc. Your money back if it fails. 1 bottle, \$1.00; 3 bottles, \$2.50; 1 gallon, \$5.00, postpaid.

#### Sheep Manure

One bag of Pulverized Sheep Manure is equal to a whole wagon load of barn yard manure. It puts life and fertility into your soil, is good for everything that grows. Absolutely no weed seed. By freight, not prepaid, 100 lbs., \$2.50; 500 lbs., \$10.00; 1,000 lbs., \$18.00; ton, \$35.00.

#### Cow Manure

Pulverized Cow Manure is a real plant food which has a lasting beneficial efhas a lasting beneficial effect on the soil. Shredded and dried by a special process; no weed seed. Absolutely will not burn the most tender root or foliage. By freight, not prepaid: 100 lbs., \$2.50; 500 lbs., \$10.00; 1,000 lbs., \$18.00; ton, \$35.00.





RED ARROW Insect Spray is absolutely non-poisonous to children, poultry, pets and everything but insects. Death is absolutely sure to both chewing and sucking insects. When properly used it will not burn, blight or stain the tenderest leaf, flower, petal or fruit. RED ARROW may be sprayed on fruit or vegetables before they are eaten, and no harmful effect can ensue on health or digestion.

RED ARROW is recommended for Rose Bugs, Aphids, Red Spiders, Leaf Hoppers, Mealy Bugs, Cut Worms, Caterpillars, Cabbage Worms, Tomato Worms, Wire Worms, Army Worms, Box Mites, Currant Worms, Fern Scale, Thrips, Squash Bugs, Aster Beetles, Japanese Beetles and many other beetles and bugs.

RED ARROW will kill fleas on cats and

RED ARROW is effective, economical and nearer a 100% killer of a larger number of kinds of insects than any other insecticide known.

l oz. bottle makes 4 to 8 gals. spray, 35c, postpaid.

31/2 oz. can makes 15 to 30 gals. spray, \$1.00, postpaid. 1 qt. can makes 140 to 280 gals. spray,

**\$6.00**, postpaid. 1 gal. can makes 560 to 1100 gals. spray, **\$17.50**, postpaid.

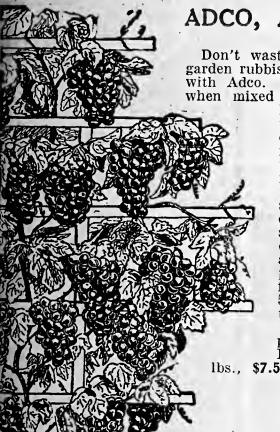
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# Grapes This Summer

#### From Vines Planted This Spring

It is no longer necessary to wait two or three years for newly set Grape Vines to bear fruit. We can now offer bearing vines that have already produced a crop of fruit. Each of these vines produced from 5 to 15 medium sized bunches of fruit last September.

We can supply bearing vines of CONCORD only. They will be properly pruned ready for planting. \$1.00 each, by parcel post, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 3 for \$2.00; 12 for \$6.00.



### ADCO, Artificial Manure

Don't waste your lawn cuttings and garden rubbish. Turn them into manure with Adco. Adco is a powder which, when mixed with vegetable waste and

kept moist, converts the whole mass into a clean, odorless manure in 3 or 4 months. It is fully equal to the barnyard product in fertilizing power, but free from foul odor, flies, weed seeds, etc. You can easily convert your straw, corn stalks, weeds, leaves, lawn cuttings, etc., into manure, at very little expense. One pound of Adco is enough for four cubic feet of refuse; 50 lbs. of Adco makes a ton of manure.

PRICES: 25 lbs., by express, not prepaid, \$2.00.
By freight, not prepaid, 100
lbs., \$7.50; 150 lbs., \$10.50.



2 lbs. of Adco and this wheelbarrow load of refuse will make about 100 lbs. of manure.

#### Everblooming Honeysuckle

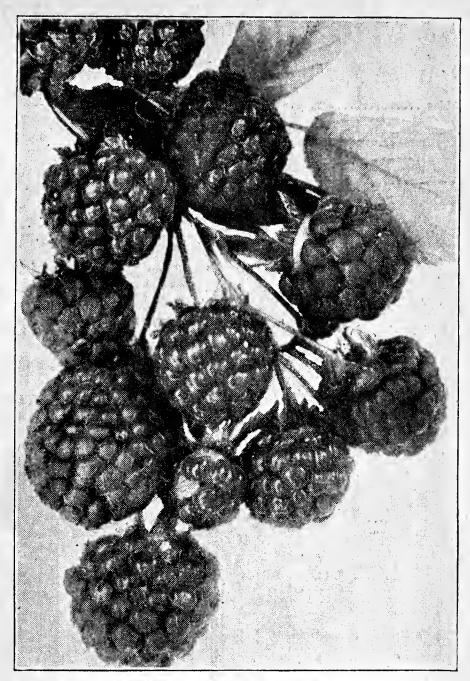
(Lonicera Heckrotti). A climbing vine producing a profusion of showy flowers from May until heavy frosts. The trumpet-shaped flowers are bright red outside and yellow inside. The reflexed petals expose both colors and give a pleasing two-toned effect. Can be trimmed into shrub form if desired. Very hardy. Strong two-year-old vines, 75c each, postpaid.

#### Cabbage and Onion Plants

We can supply frost-proof Early Jersey Wakefield, Copenhagen Market and Late Flat Dutch cabbage plants and Riverside Sweet Spanish, Prizetaker and Crystal Wax Bermuda onion plants from January 1st to July 1st, at 50c per 100; \$1.50 per 500; or \$2.50 per 1,000, postpaid. Even hundreds of a variety must be ordered.



Everblooming Honeysuckle



#### BEARING AGE

Raspberry Plants

#### SET PLANTS THAT WILL PRODUCE A CASH CROP THIS SUMMER

We are now able to offer to our customers, at very little additional cost, Latham and Chief Raspberry plants old enough to bear a good crop of fruit the same season they are set out. They have been transplanted and grown in the nursery one year longer than our regular number one grade of plants. As we have only a limited supply of these bearing grade plants we recommend ordering early. The plants will be shipped to you properly pruned and ready to plant, at the following prices:

to plant, at the following prices:

LATHAM—6 for 50c; 12 for 80c; 25 for \$1.35; 100 for \$4.40; 200 for \$8.40; 300 for \$12.00; 400 for \$15.20; 500 for \$18.00; 1,000 for \$35.00, by express or freight, not prepaid.

CHIEF—6 for 60c; 12 for 90c; 25 for \$1.50; 100 for \$5.00; 200 for \$9.60; 300 for \$13.80; 400 for \$17.60; 500 for \$21.00;

1,000 for \$40.00, by express or freight, not prepaid.



# "DOGZOFF"

If you are bothered with dogs, cats or rabbits, "Dog-zoff" is the spray you need. It is a most efficient animal repellent and one spraying will last from three to four weeks. Not poisonous to plants and will not injure animals. Not offensive to humans. Its use is guaranteed to keep these animals from any place where they are not wanted.

"Dogzoff" is applied with any small insect sprayer and one application, usually does the work.

"Dogzoff" will save its cost many times over around

the garden and home.

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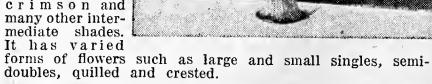
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# Japanese Mountain Chrysanthemums

The Japanese Mountain Chrysanthemum is in many ways superior to other varieties of Chrysanthemum. It is easily grown, can be grown indoors or out, and is extremely hardy. It can be trained into a symmetrical bush or grown as a trailing plant.

The Japanese Mountain Chrysanthemum has a great range of colors, including pure white, lemon, golden yellow, pink, rose, scarlet, crimson and many other intermediate shades. It has varied



While the Japanese Mountain Chrysanthemum is a hardy perennial, it comes into bloom the first year from sowing. Naturally, it will grow to quite a good sized bush if left by itself, and if pinched two or three times a fine shaped plant can be obtained. By proper pinching and staking you can grow them to the most showy and artistic style of hanging or spray pot plants. You will not be disappointed with these plants for either outdoor or indoor decoration. Those who grow plants to sell will find the Japanese Mountain Chrysanthemum a wonderful seller. The blooming plants sell themselves wherever shown.

Seed, in mixture of colors, 25c per pkt.; 5 pkts., \$1.00, postpaid.

Blooming size plants, in mixture of colors, 35c each; 3 for 75c; 12 for \$2.25, postpaid.

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Water Poppies

#### WATER POPPY

Large, bright yellow, poppy-like flowers borne in continuous profusion throughout the season. The foliage floats on the surface of the water like a miniature pond lily. It should be planted and cared for in the same manner as water lilies, but cannot be left out in winter. 35c each; 3 for 75c, postpaid.

# Columbian Purple Raspberry

This is one of the finest berries ever offered. It is a cross between a black raspberry and red raspberry, and possesses all the qualities of each. The berries are of large size; purple in color; seeds small and deeply imbedded in a rich, juicy pulp. They do not crumble when picked, are good shippers and good keepers, and are better for compine they either red on block manhaning ter for canning than either red or black raspberries.

To people who dislike growing the red varieties, on account of the "suckers," we recommend Columbian Purple, as it does not sucker or spread from the roots, but is propagated from "tips," the same as black raspberries.

The canes are model growers; vigorous and healthy. Will grow anywhere; as hardy as an oak; enormously productive; and either fresh or canned, is the finest flavored raspberry we ever tasted.

Choice Plants: 6 for 50c; 12 for 90c; 25 for \$1.50; 50 for \$2.75; 100 for \$5.00, by parcel post, postpaid.

By express, not prepaid, \$4.00 per 100; \$7.50 per 200; \$10.50 per 300; \$12.75 per 400; \$15.00 per 500; or \$28.00 per 1,000.

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# Weeds Go in 24 Hours

Here's a new chemical discovery that absolutely RIDS YOUR LAWN of dandelions, buckhorn and plantain over night. Quick and positive action.

# Weed-Tox DOES NOT HARM REST OF LAWN

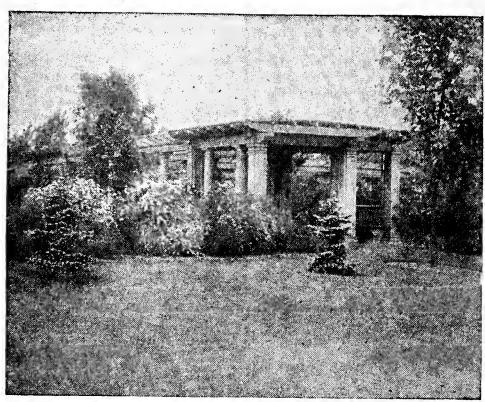
Easily and quickly applied without injury to grass, clover or other desirable vegetation, but is ABSOLUTELY GUARANTEED TO KILL THESE AND MANY OTHER KINDS OF WEEDS, making it impossible for them to revive. One application is usually sufficient.

One dollar bottle is enough to rid the average size lawn of these weeds. Sent complete with applicator and full instructions. Ready to use-no mixing-no fixing-no sprayer-nothingelse to buy.

WEED-TOX can not be sent by parcel post. By express, not prepaid, \$1.00 per bottle. If you want it sent prepaid, send 35c extra.

# Rids Your Lawn WEED!

# Burgess' Choice Lawn Mixtures



Burgess' Evergreen Lawn Mixture

Many of the lawn troubles would be ended if only clean, high grade seed were planted. If you want a beautiful lawn that will at all times be green and velvety, don't waste time and money sowing cheap grass seed. We Mix Our Own Lawn Grasses. We Do Not Use Timothy or White Clover in any of Our Mixtures. Beware of Mixtures that contain Timothy. Timothy is not a desirable lawn grass, but is used extensively in cheap mixtures, on account of its low price.

### Burgess' Evergreen Lawn Mixture

Our Evergreen Lawn Mixture is composed of the finest varieties of grasses, each of which has its season of beauty, with the result that a rich and enduring sod is produced that is always green. Not only is our Evergreen Lawn Mixture the best lawn mixture obtainable, but in the end it is really the most economical brand to plant. Being of high germination and free from chaff, one pound will sow 400 square feet. ½ lb., 35c; lb., 60c; 3 lbs., \$1.60; 5 lbs., \$2.50; 10 lbs., \$4.75, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 5 lbs., \$2.00; 10 lbs., \$3.75; 25 lbs., \$8.00; 100 lbs., \$30.00.

#### Burgess' Shady Nook Lawn Mixture

On nearly every lawn are unsightly spots under trees, where grass does not do well. Our Shady Nook Mixture contains grasses which naturally grow in shady places. ½ lb., 40c; lb., 75c; 3 lbs., \$2.00; 5 lbs., \$3.00; 10 lbs., \$5.50, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 5 lbs., \$2.50; 10 lbs., \$4.50; 25 lbs., \$10.50; 100 lbs., \$40.00.

# Burgess' Creeping Bent Grass Mixture The Lawn Grass Which Discourages Weeds

This is the most popular grass for golf courses and it is rapidly gaining in favor as a lawn grass, for the reason it likes an acid soil and can be fed with acid reacting fertilizers, such as our "Soil-Vitamines" brand, the constant use of which discourages weeds.

Bent Grass makes soft, beautiful, permanent lawns, and makes a sod that is wonderful for terraces. Rain cannot wash tiny ditches in your terrace; neither will your sidewalks or driveways be covered with dirt if you use Bent Grass on your lawn and terraces. Our Creeping Bent is a mixture including True Creeping Rent Valvet Rent and Rhode Island Rent. It is the is a mixture, including True Creeping Bent, Velvet Bent and Rhode Island Bent. It is the best Bent Grass obtainable, and we consider that we are fortunate in being able to supply our customers with a superior quality of this splendid grass. Seed at the rate of 3 to 4 lbs. per 1,000 square feet. ½ lb., 85c; lb., \$1.60; 3 lbs., \$4.65; 5 lbs., \$7.50; 10 lbs., \$14.50, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 5 lbs., \$7.00; 10 lbs., \$13.50; 25 lbs., \$33.00; 100 lbs., \$130.00.

#### White Clover for Lawns

We have an Extra Fancy Dwarf White Clover that is especially fine for sowing with lawn grass mixtures. This variety will retain its green appearance throughout the hottest summer, and forms a close herbage which blends with the other grasses. For this purpose we recommend one ounce to each pound of grass seed. Pkt. (about one ounce), {0c; ¼ lb., 22c; ½ lb., 40c; lb., 75c; 3 lbs., \$2.00; 5 lbs., \$3.00; 10 lbs., \$5.80, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 5 lbs., \$2.50; 10 lbs., \$4.80; 25 lbs., \$11.75; 100 lbs., \$45.00.

### "Soil-Vitamines"

"Soil-Vitamines" is a highly concentrated ammonium sulphate fertilizer that will increase the growth of grass and bring about a soil condition unfavorable to weeds Used with remarkable results by the leading Golf Associations, for producing velvety, weedless putting greens and fairways. It is also excellent for vegetable and flower gardens, shrubs and house plants. A 10-lb. bag contains as much nitrogen as 500 lbs. of stable manure. 10 lbs. will cover 2,500 square feet of lawn or garden. Complete directions in each bag. Easy to apply, clean, no odor, non-poisonous, non-inflammable, 10-lb, bag, 65c; 25-lb, bag, \$1.25; 50 lbs., \$2.25; 100 lbs., \$3.90, f. o. b. Galesburg.

# Drought-Proof Pea

"Could not help to show the appreciation and results obtained from our recent order, especially the grand peas, grown without rain; surely wonderful, and prolific no word for it."—F. W. FREER, ASHLAND, OHIO.

# Peas Continue to Bear 6 Months After Planting

"Approximately a year ago I sent to your company a very small order for a few packages of seeds, among which was an order for Burgess' Drought-Proof Peas, your catalog stating they 'Laugh at Drought, Smile at Rain.'

"I just have a small garden in Tulare, California, but I will send you a picture under separate cover, showing you the result of the peas 'Many Smiles and Lots of Laughs,' as we have very little rain in the San Joaquin Valley. However, our neighbors enjoyed seeing our peas grow. We put them in last October, and to our surprise, we were able to show our neighbors peas in bloom about the latter part of January, and at present we can give them an occasional Sunday treat of fresh green peas. I could write you a book about the peas, but won't."—Sherman Rogers, M. D., Tulare, California.

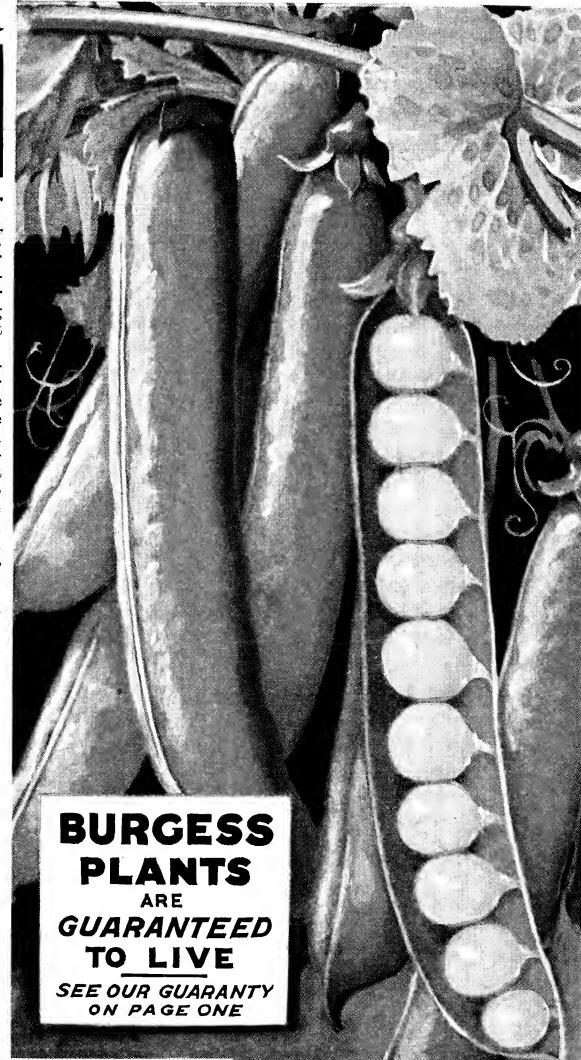
For complete description of Burgess' Drought-Proof Pea see page 29.

Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 45c; 2 lbs., 80c; 5 lbs., \$1.90; 10 lbs., \$3.65, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs., \$3.90; 25 lbs., \$6.25; 100 lbs., \$24.00.

# Get Rid of Dandelions Without Killing Grass

"Inclosed find check for \$2.00 in payment for two bottles of Weed-Tox. I have used the bottle you sent me and it is a sure weed killer. We have a rather large lawn and the new dandelions keep coming; but where we picked about a peck of blossoms each day, we now pick about 5 or 6 blossoms each morning. You are going to get some more orders through my ordering my first."—J. Britton, Cody, Wyoming.

See page 128 for further information and prices of Weed-Tox.





Pride of Yukon

# Pride of Yukon

Ripe Watermelons in 65 Days

Earliest Watermelon Grown and Absolutely
Wilt-Resistant

Not only is the Pride of Yukon the earliest Watermelon known, but it is unsurpassed for sweetness and quality; entirely free from stringiness and fairly melts in your mouth. Fruits are of attractive appearance; medium in size, seldom exceed 18 to 20 pounds in weight, averaging 10 to 15 pounds; flesh bright scarlet. Hardy, vigorous and remarkably productive. The best for extra early planting, especially adapted to Northern localities where the season is short, but does well in all sections of the country and has created a sensation wherever grown. While it is not an extra good shipper, it is a wonderful melon for the home garden and a gold mine for the market gardener.

Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ½ lb., 40c; 1 lb., \$1.25; 2 lbs., \$2.25; 5 lbs., \$5.30; 10 lbs., \$10.00, post-paid.

